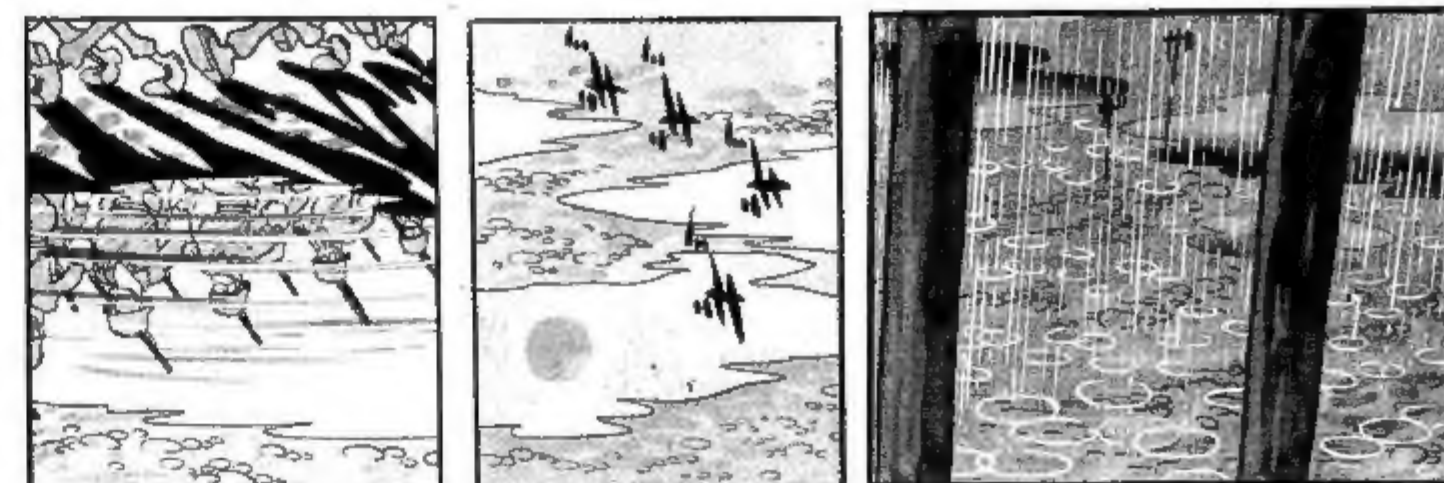
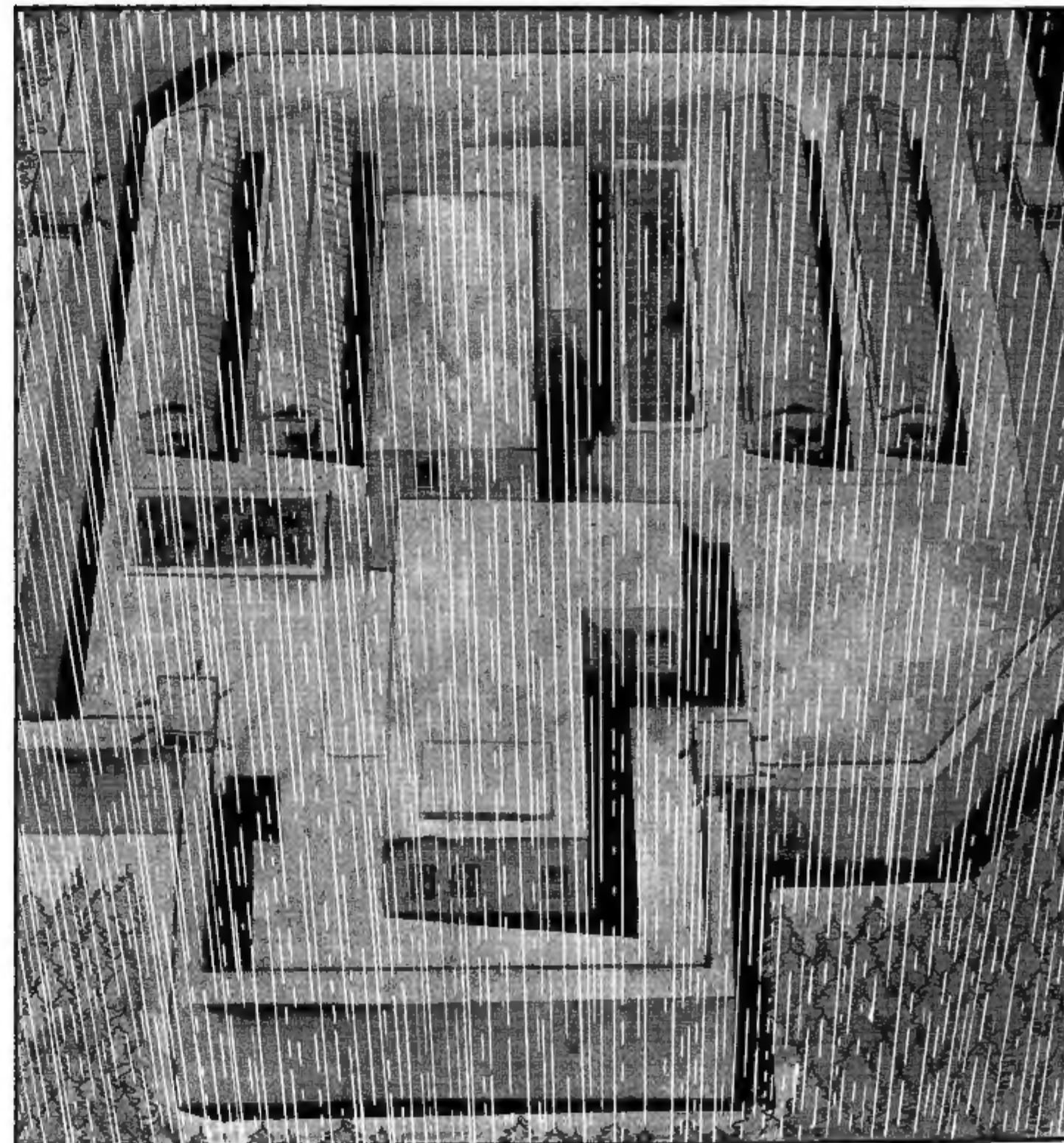
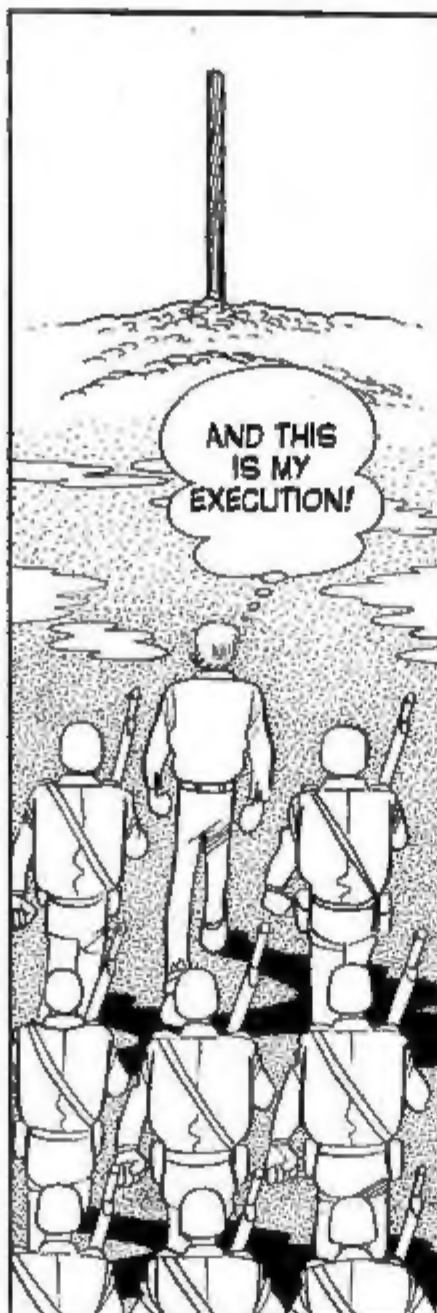
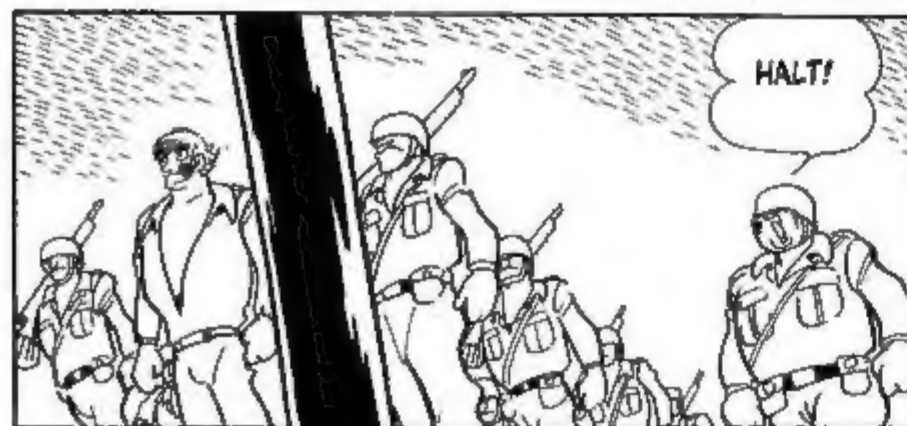
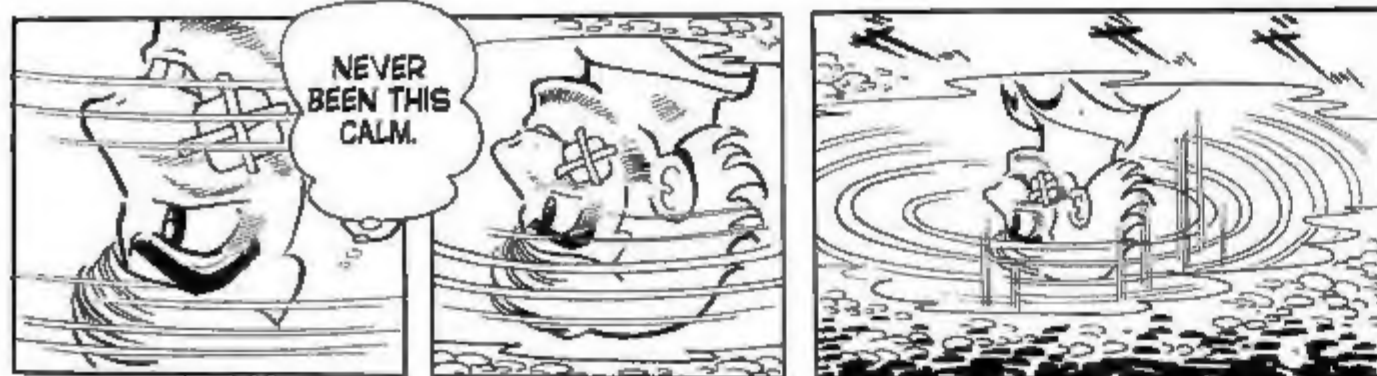
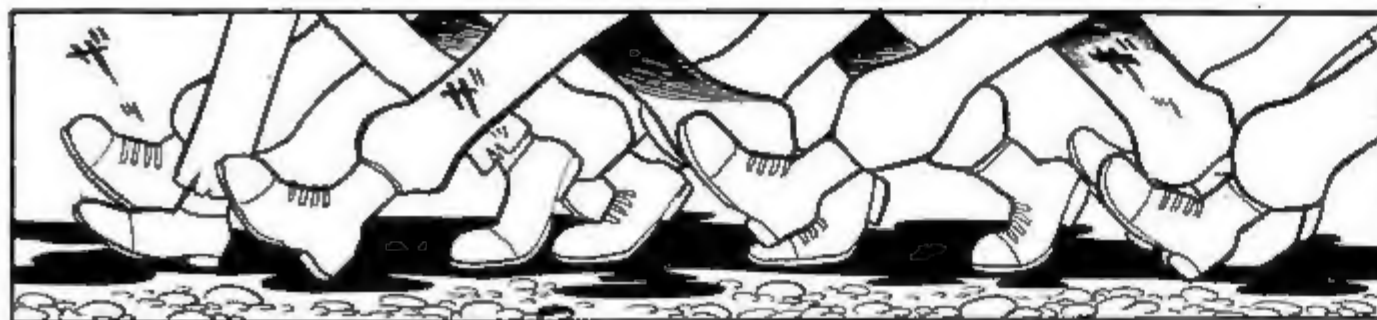
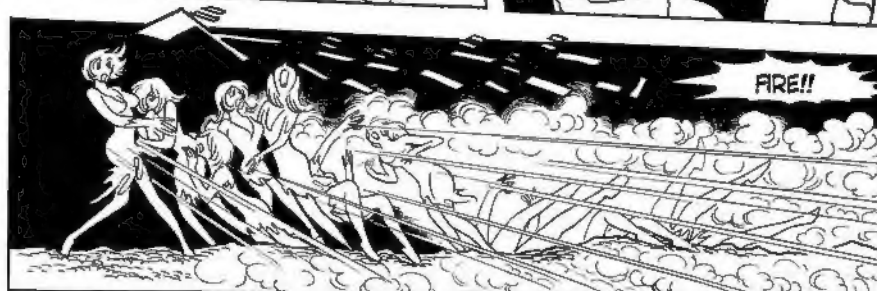
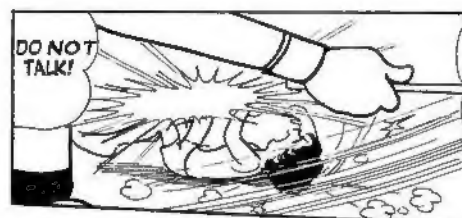
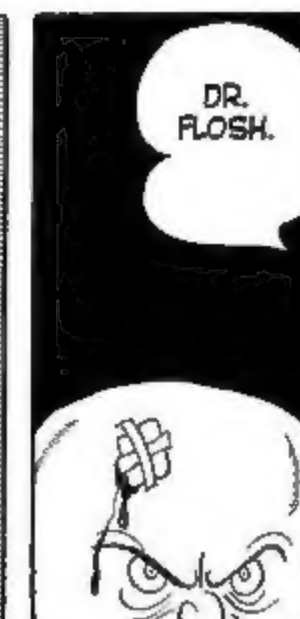
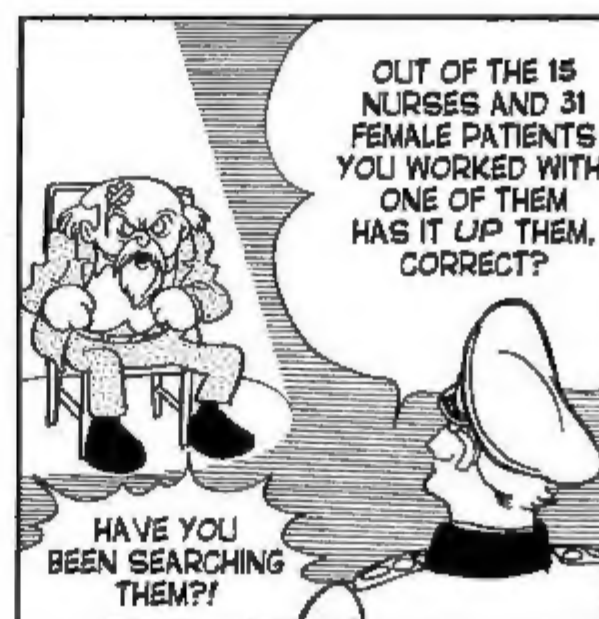
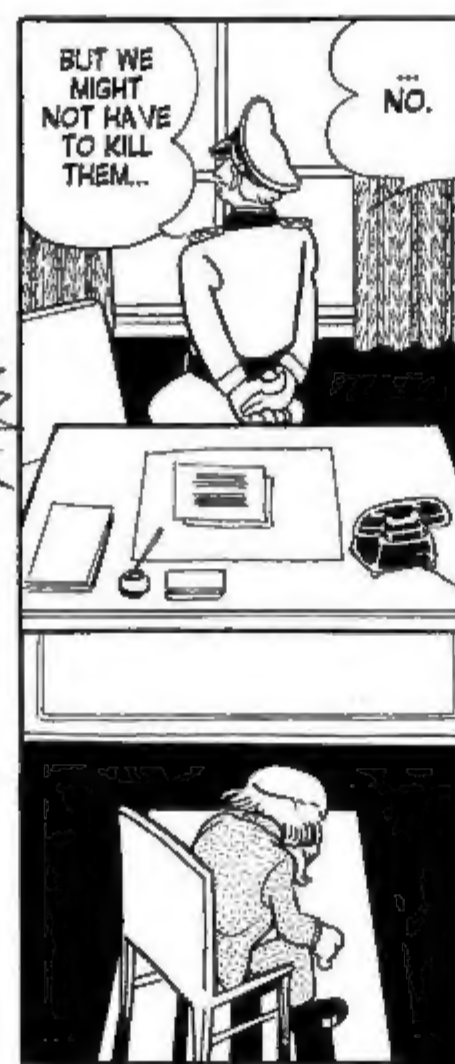


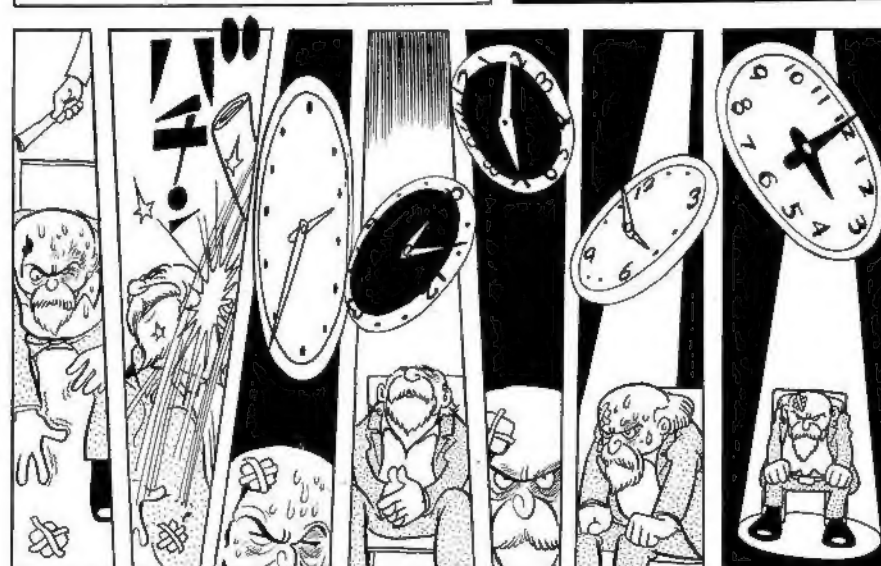
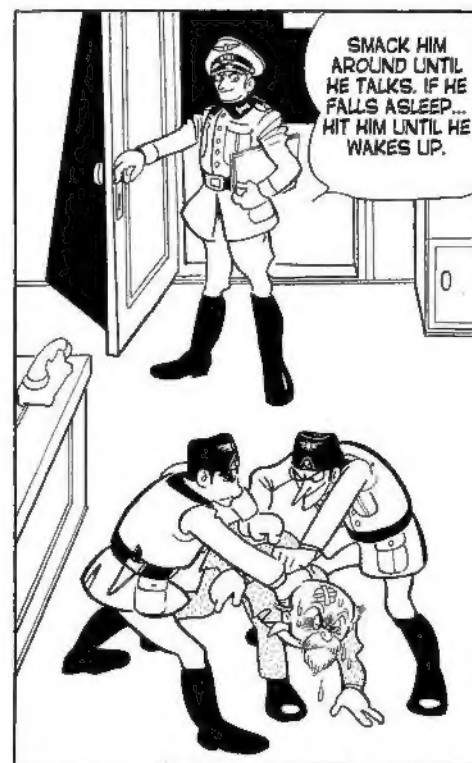
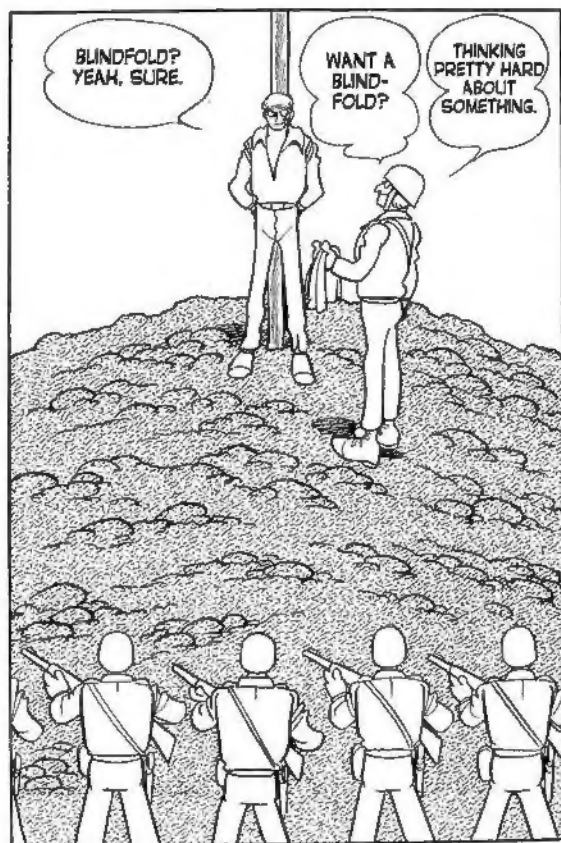
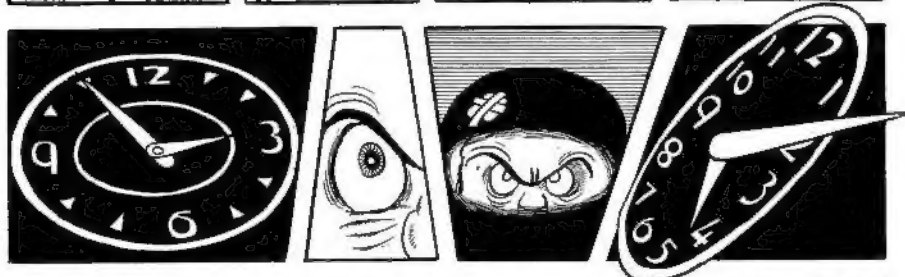
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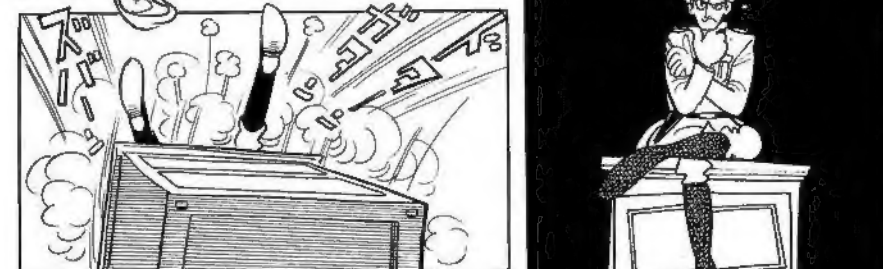
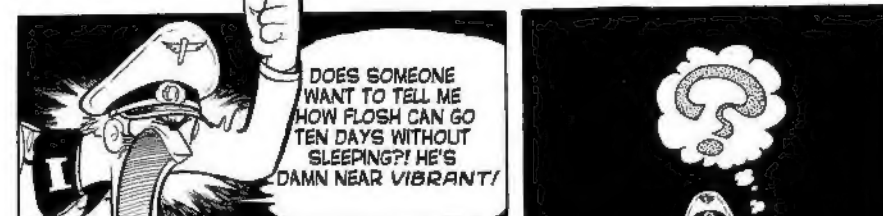
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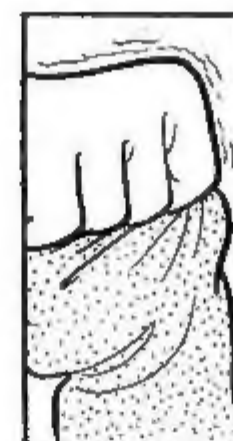
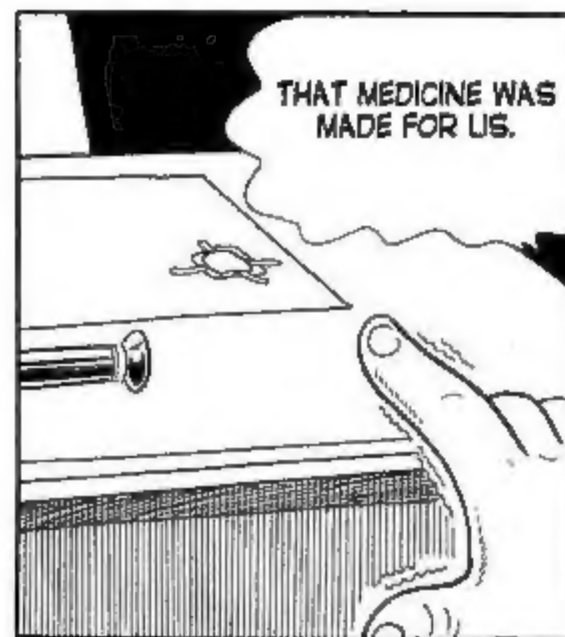
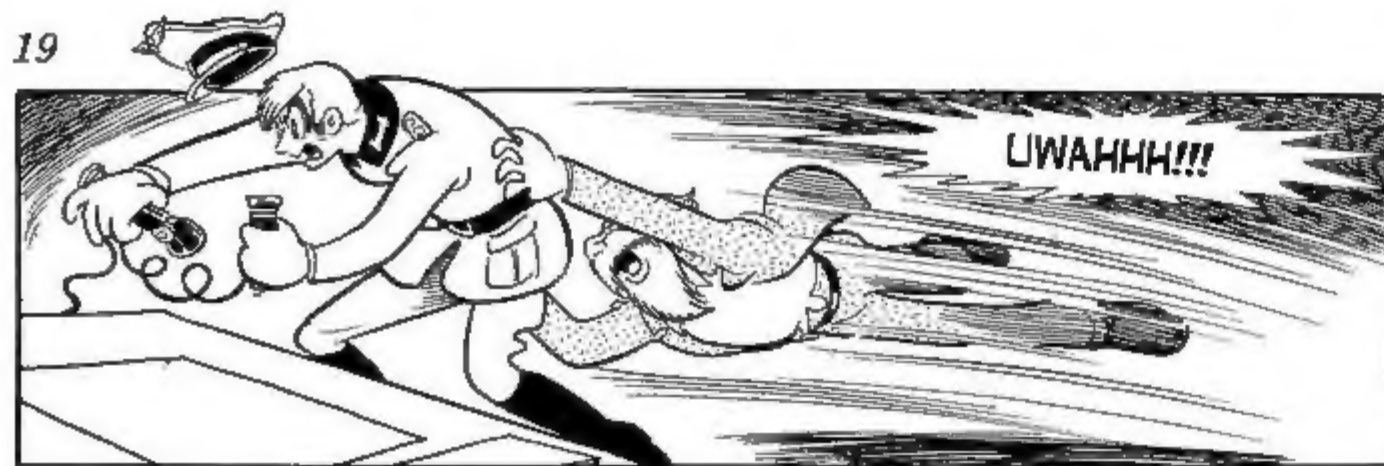


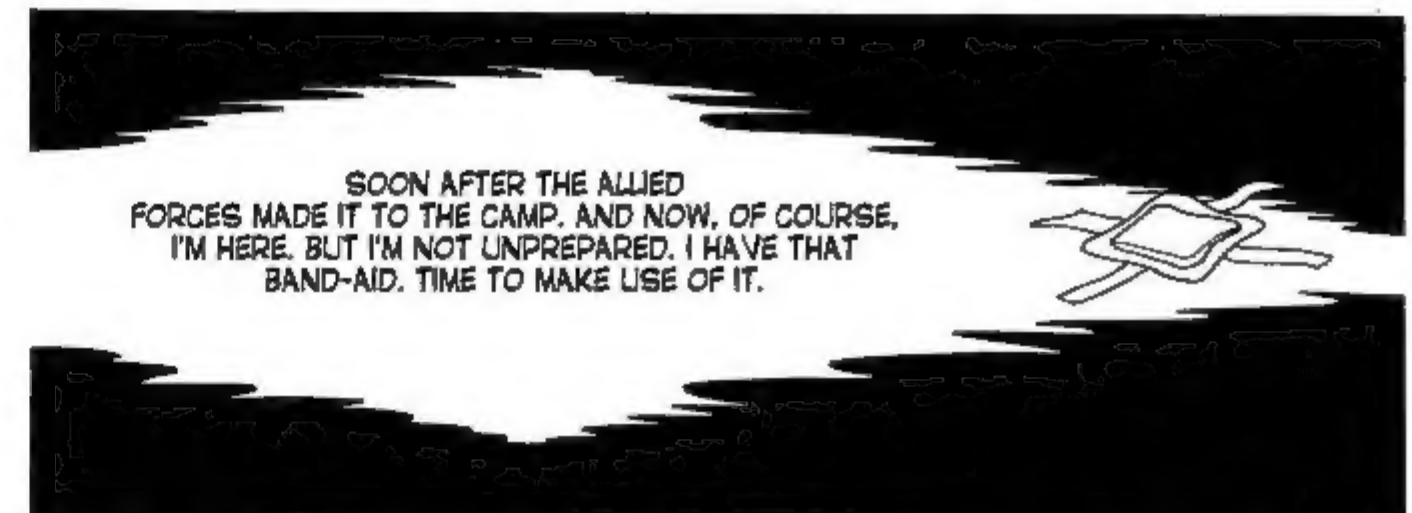
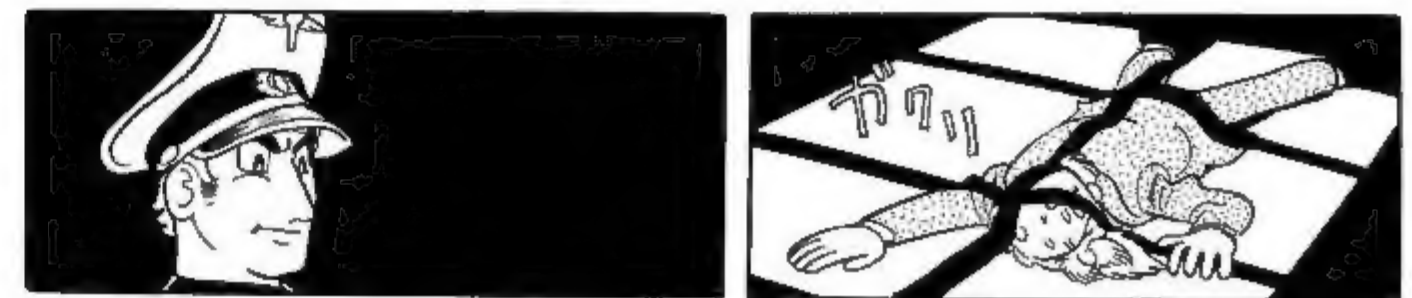
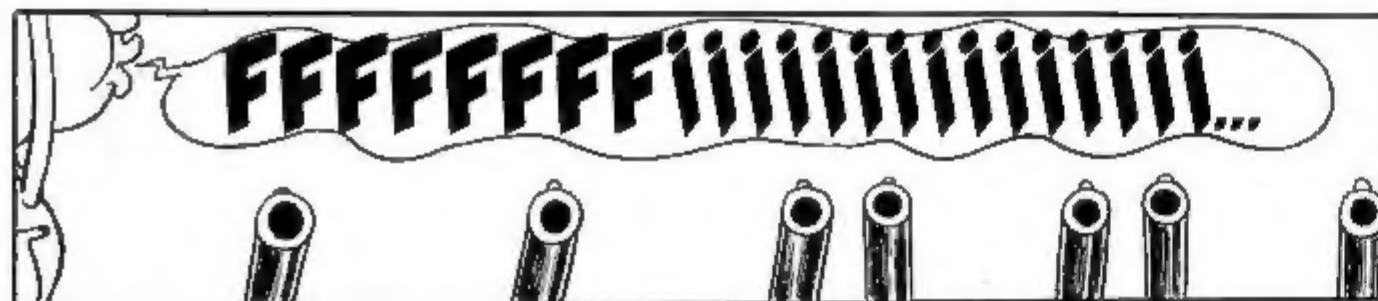
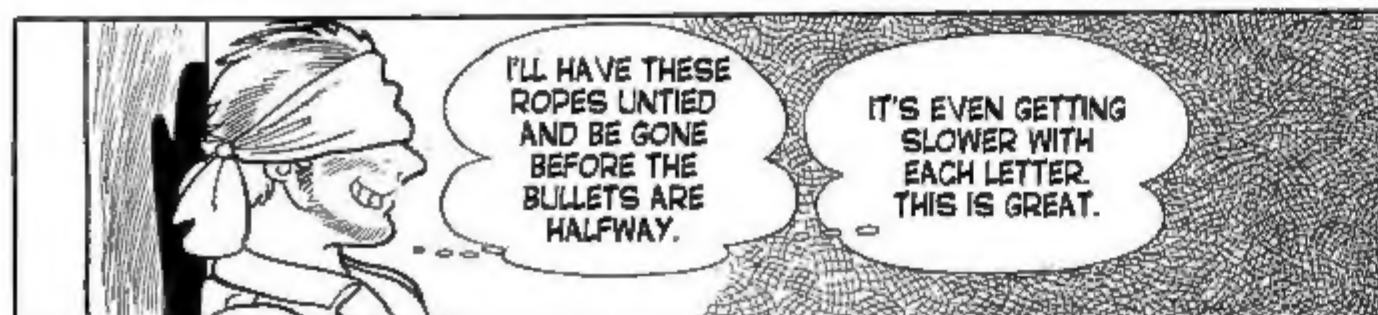


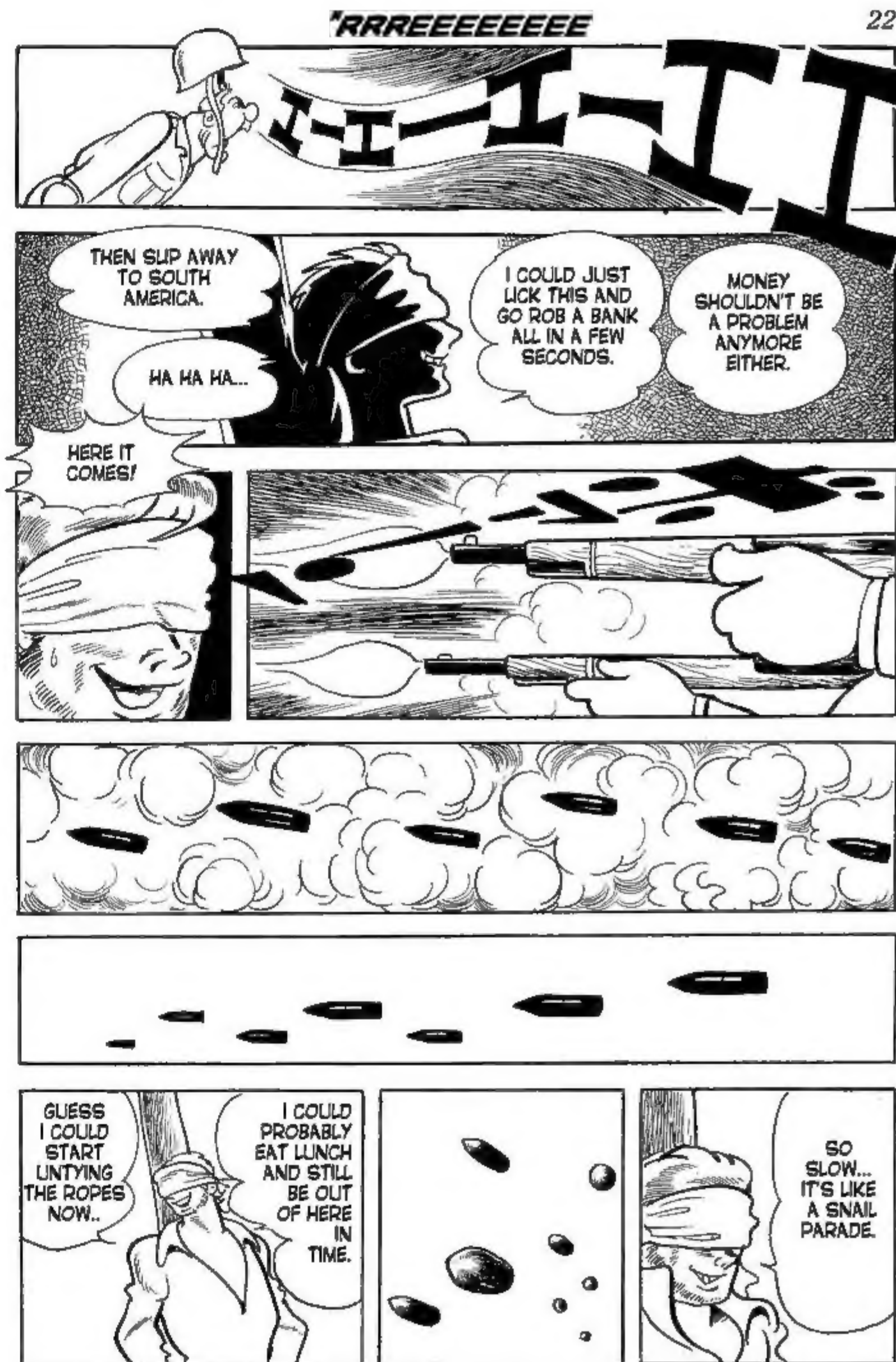


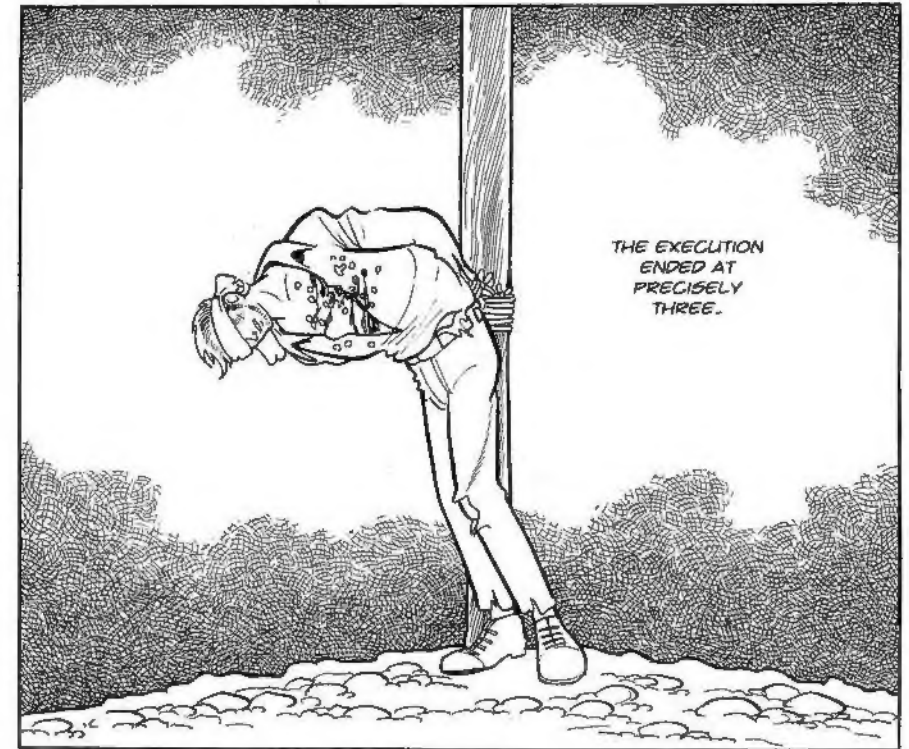
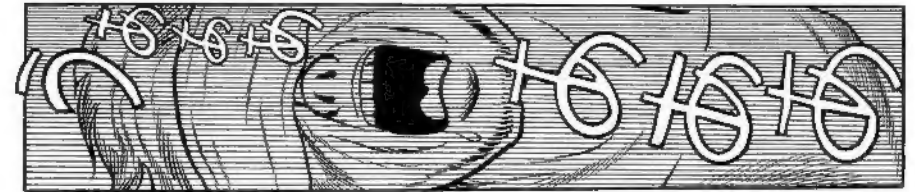








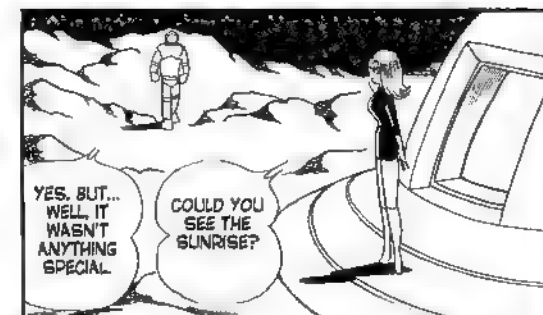
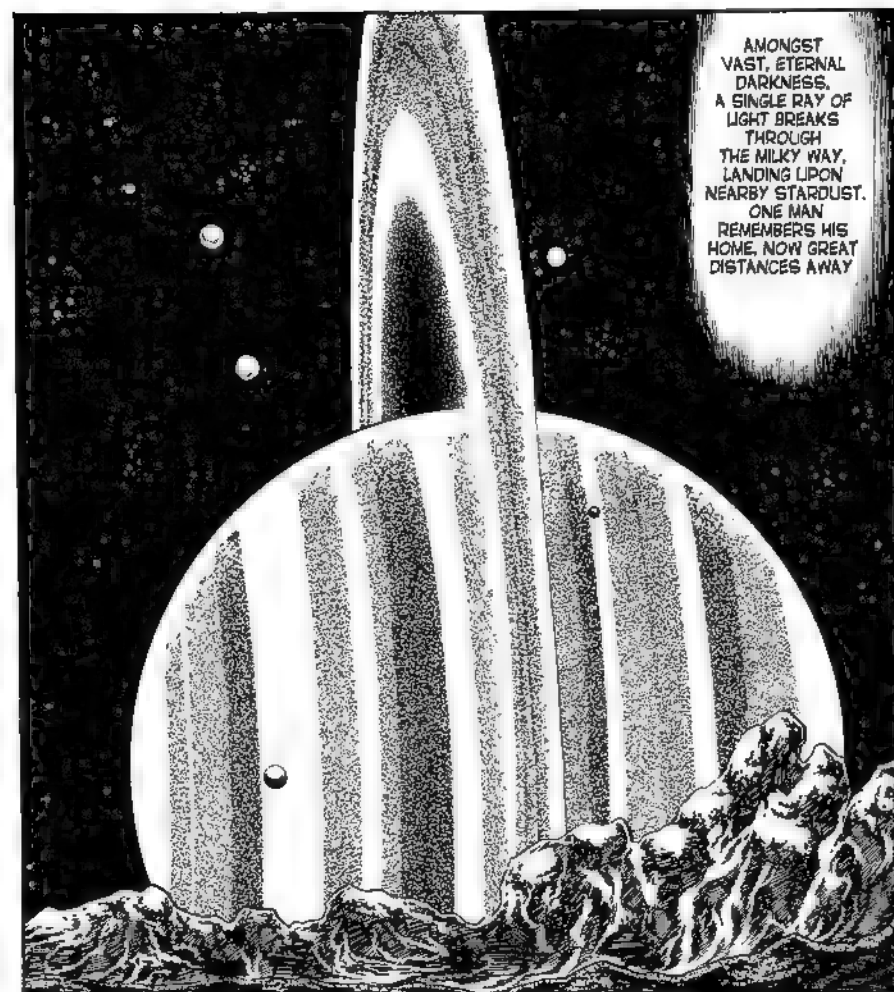
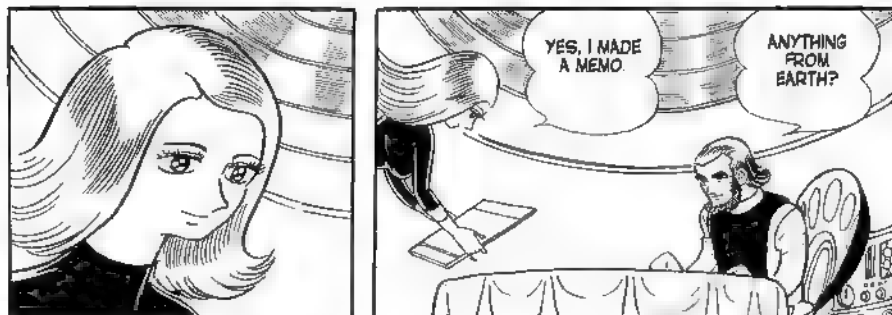




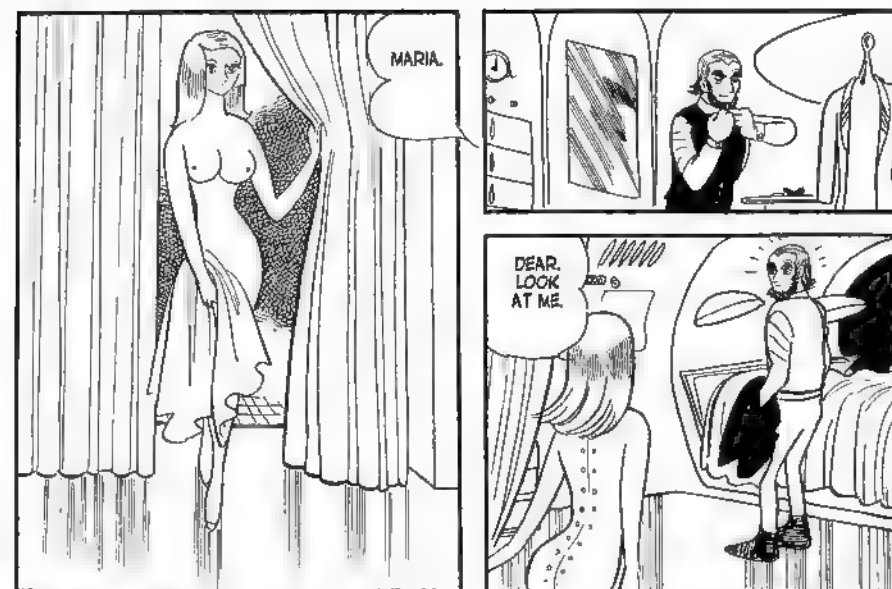
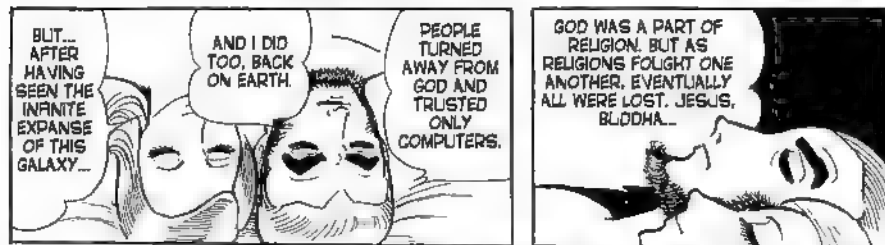
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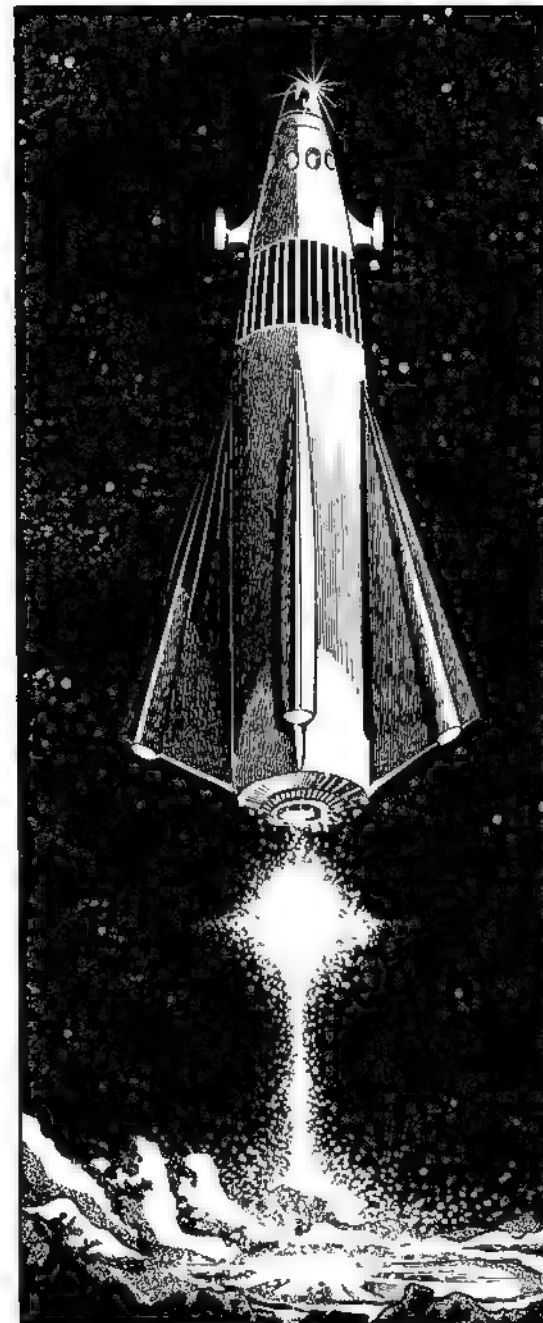
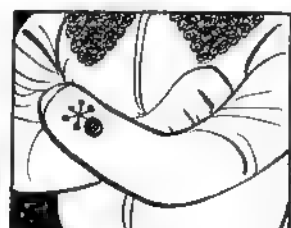
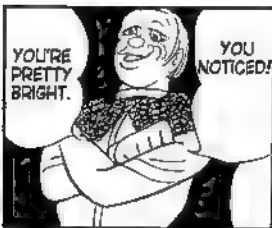
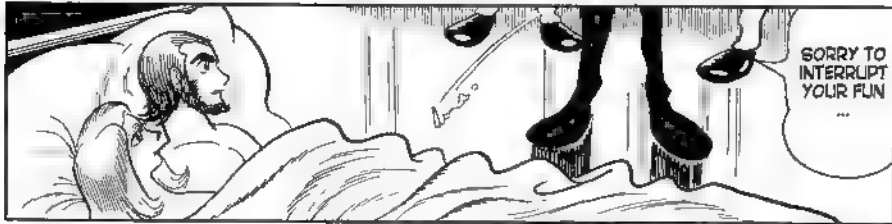
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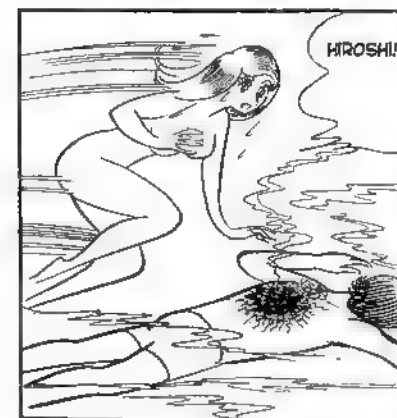
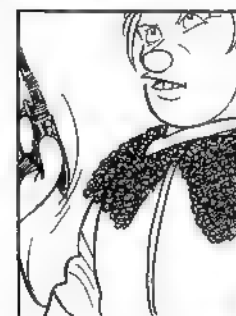
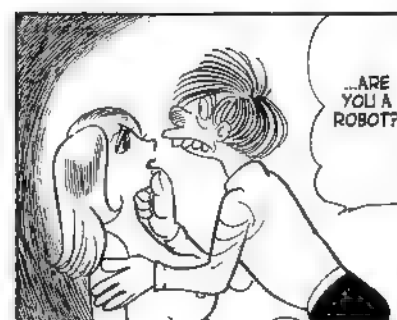
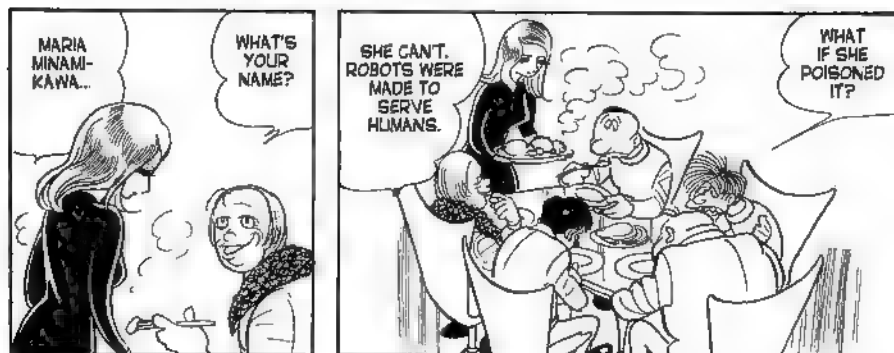
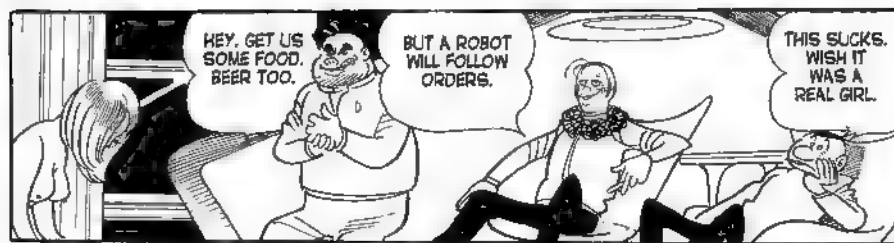








I WANT
A BABY!

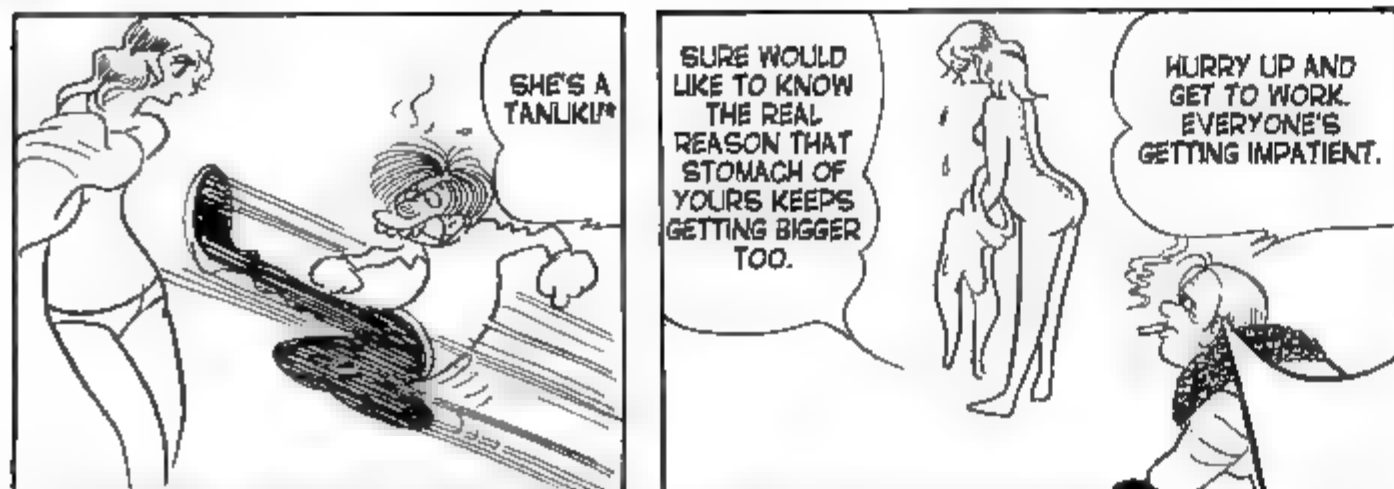




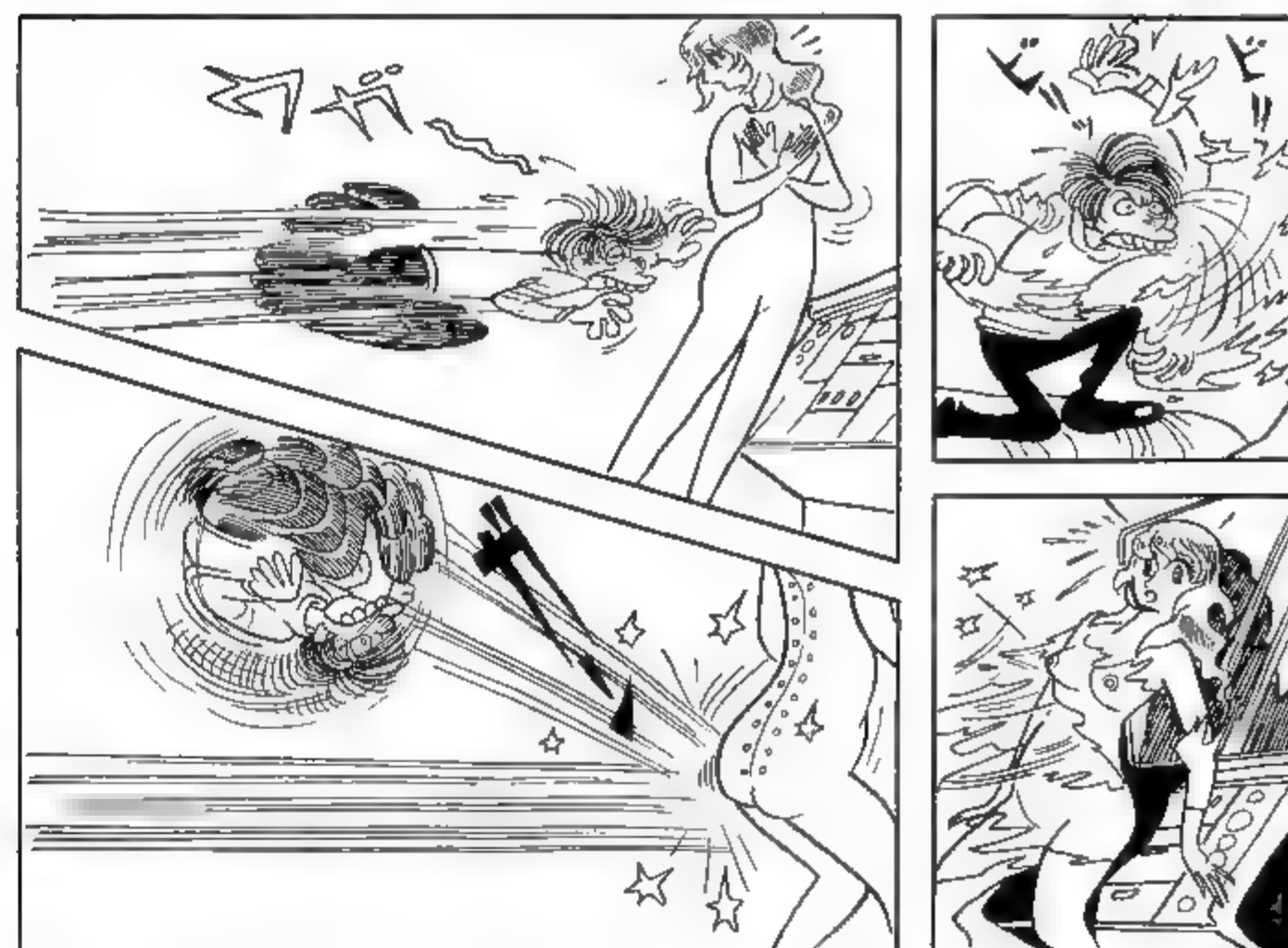
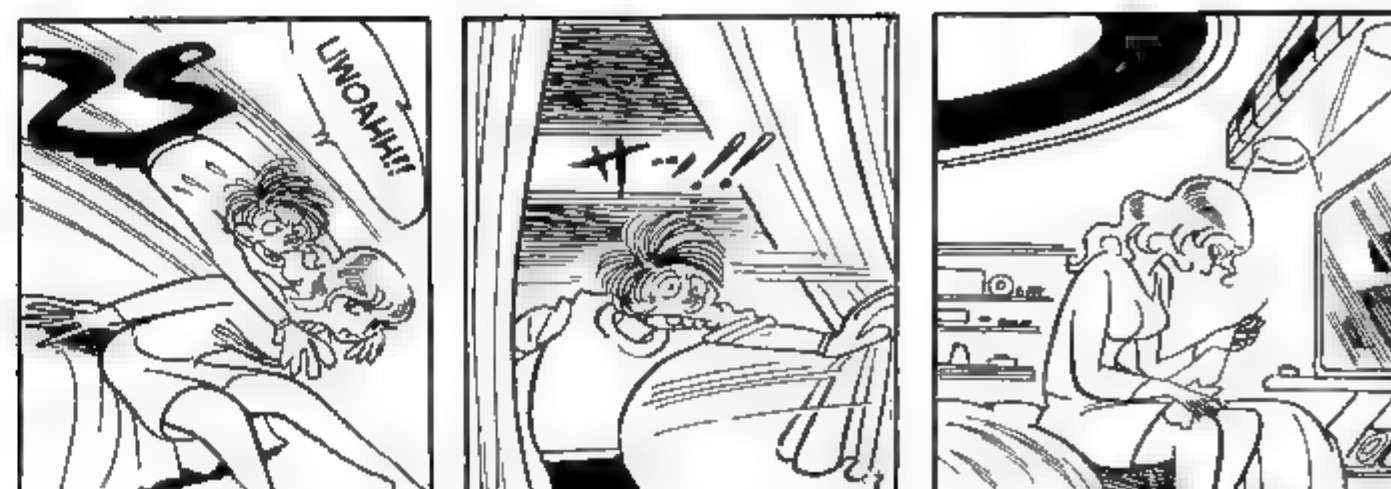
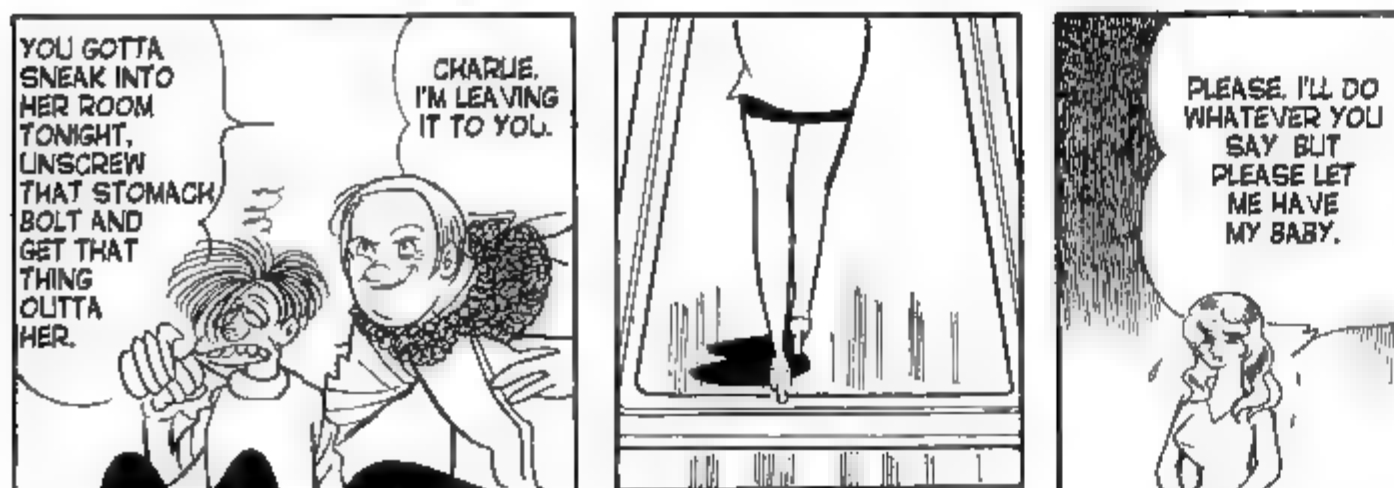
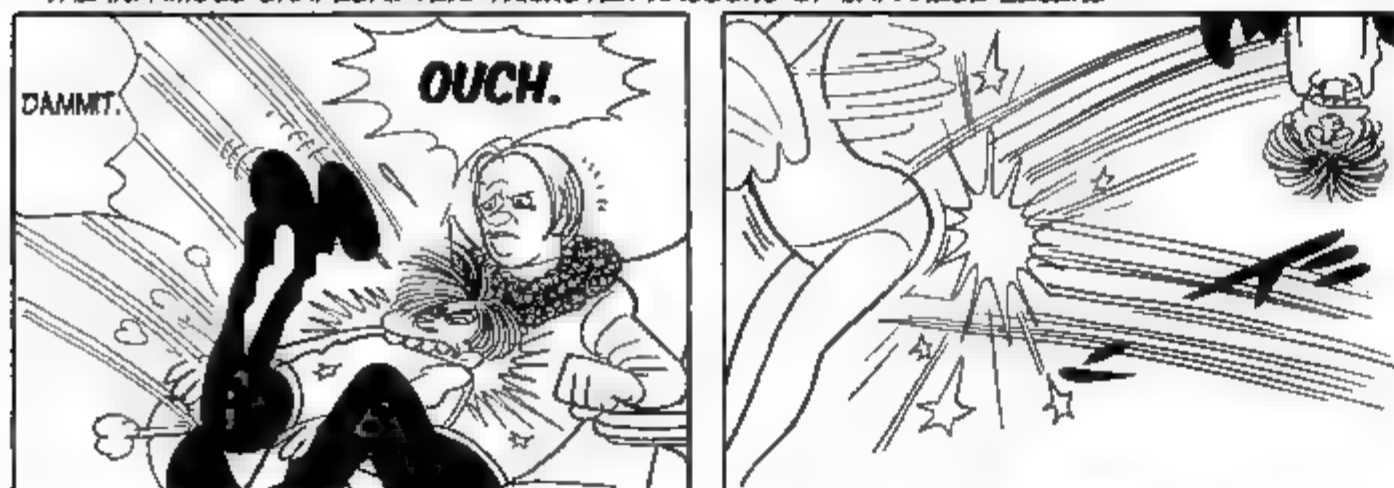
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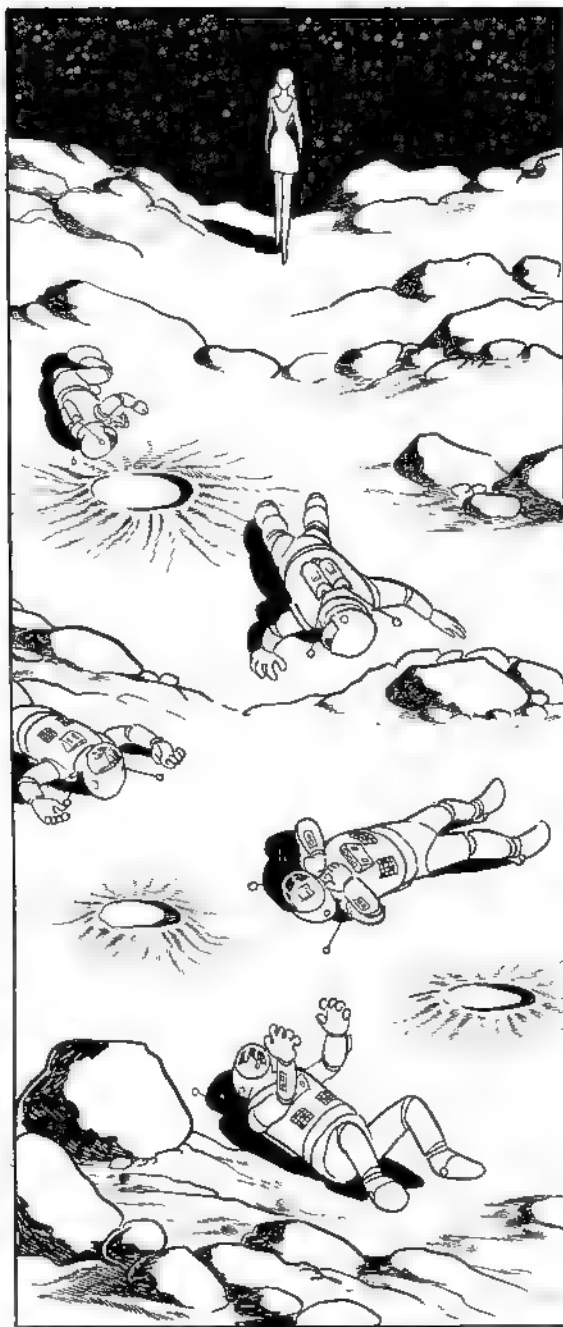
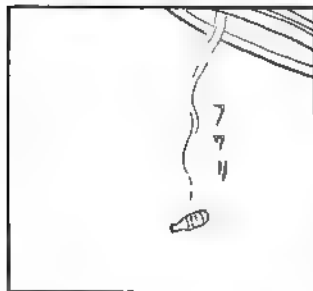
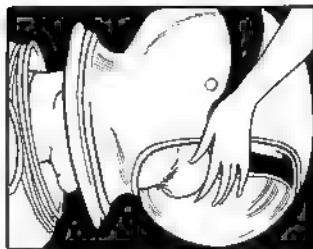
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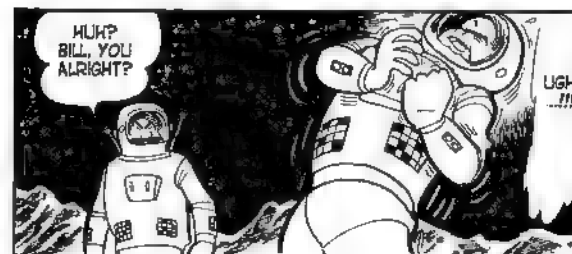
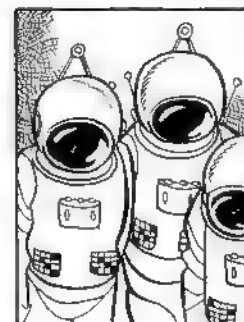


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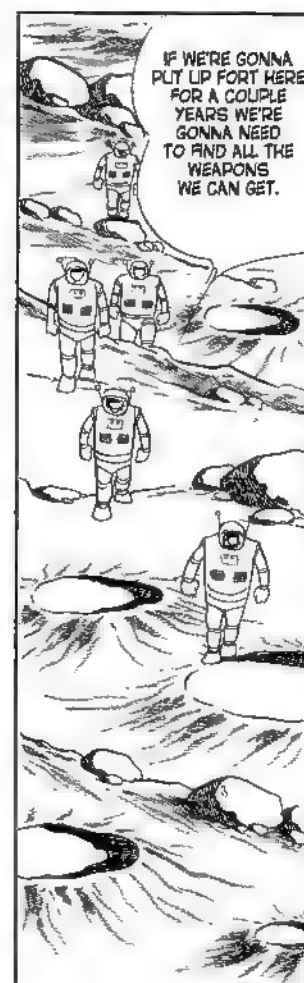
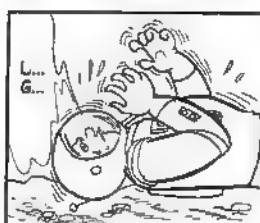
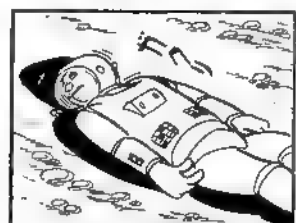
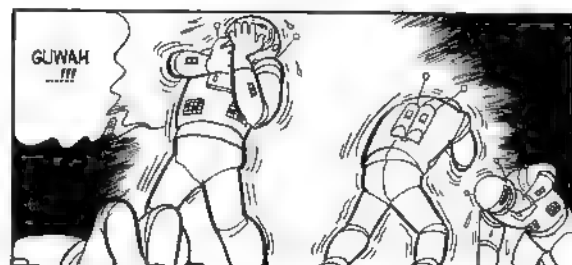


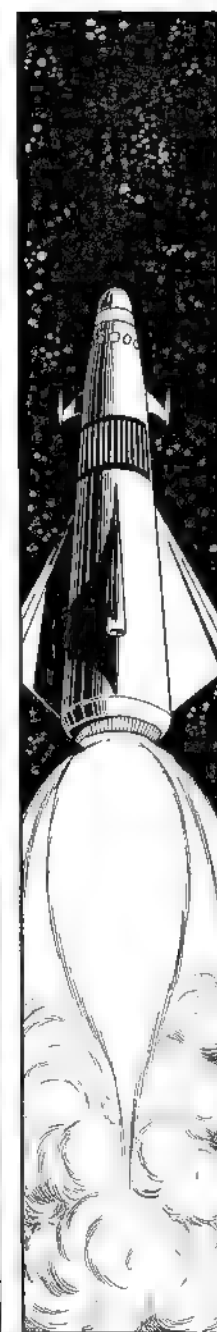
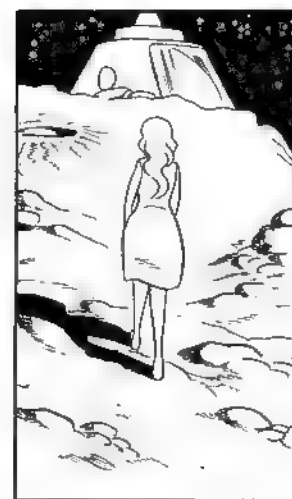
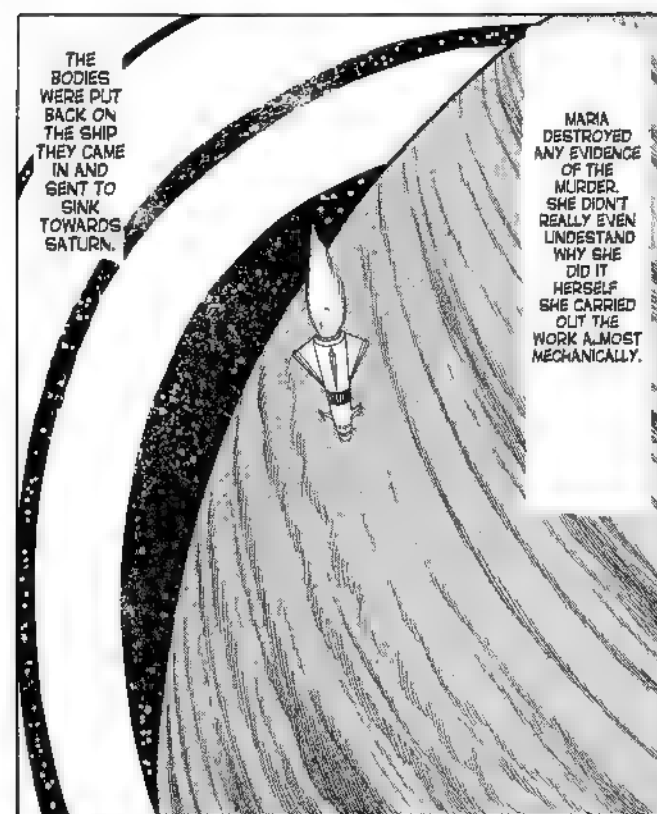
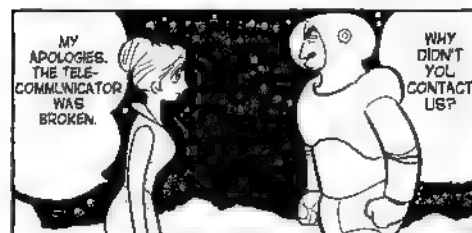
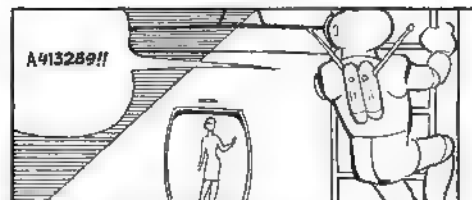
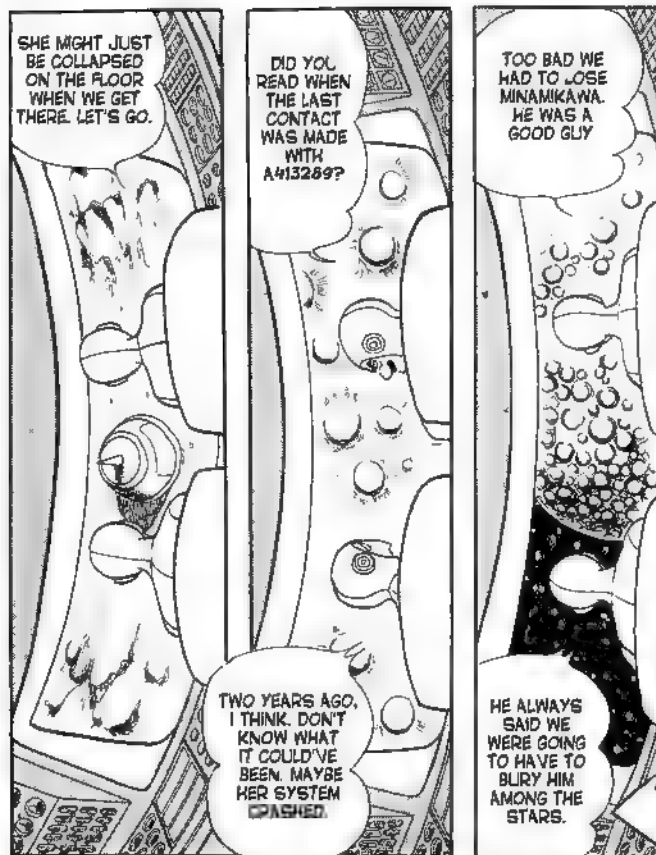


PUT ON YOUR SUITS.



UGH!!!







ISN'T HE CUTE?
MY LITTLE BOY...



SEEMS
LIKE A
REAL
HUMAN,
TOO.

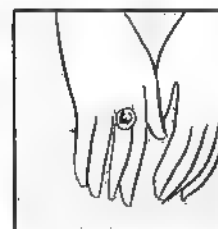
HOW... HOW
IS THIS
POSSIBLE?
I'M GOING TO
HAVE A
HEADACHE...



I CAN'T
BELIEVE IT.

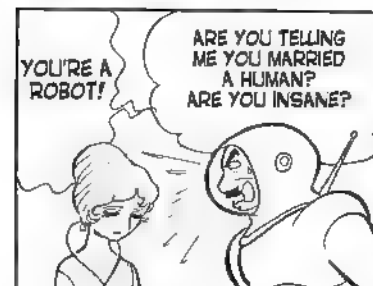


WHAT'S THAT
ON YOUR
HAND...?



WHY
DIDN'T
YOU JUST
FIX IT?

EVEN
SO...



YOU'RE A
ROBOT!

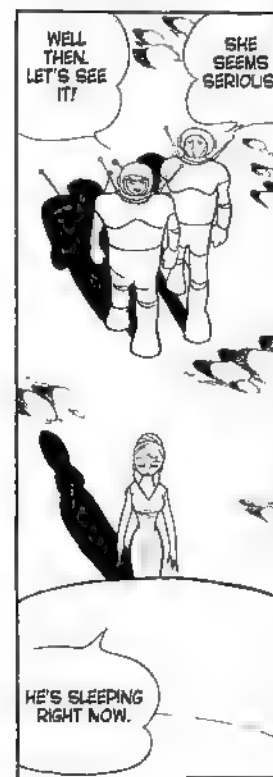
ARE YOU TELLING
ME YOU MARRIED
A HUMAN?
ARE YOU INSANE?



YOU WERE
MARRIED? TO
WHO? MINAMI-
KAWA?!

IS THIS A
WEDDING
RING?!

LET
ME
SEE
IT.



WELL
THEN
LET'S SEE
IT!

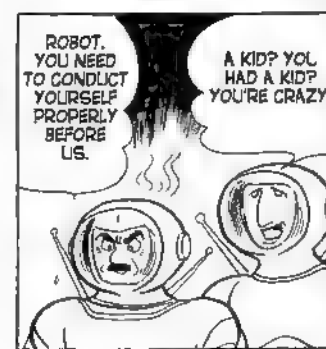
SHE
SEEMS
SERIOUS.



NOW I GET IT.
YOU LEFT THE
TELECOMMUNICATOR
BROKEN BECAUSE
YOU DIDN'T WANT
US TO KNOW!

YOU'D BE
DISASSEMBLED
IF THIS WAS
EARTH.

I WAS
DOING GOD'S
WILL. GOD
JOINED US
TOGETHER.

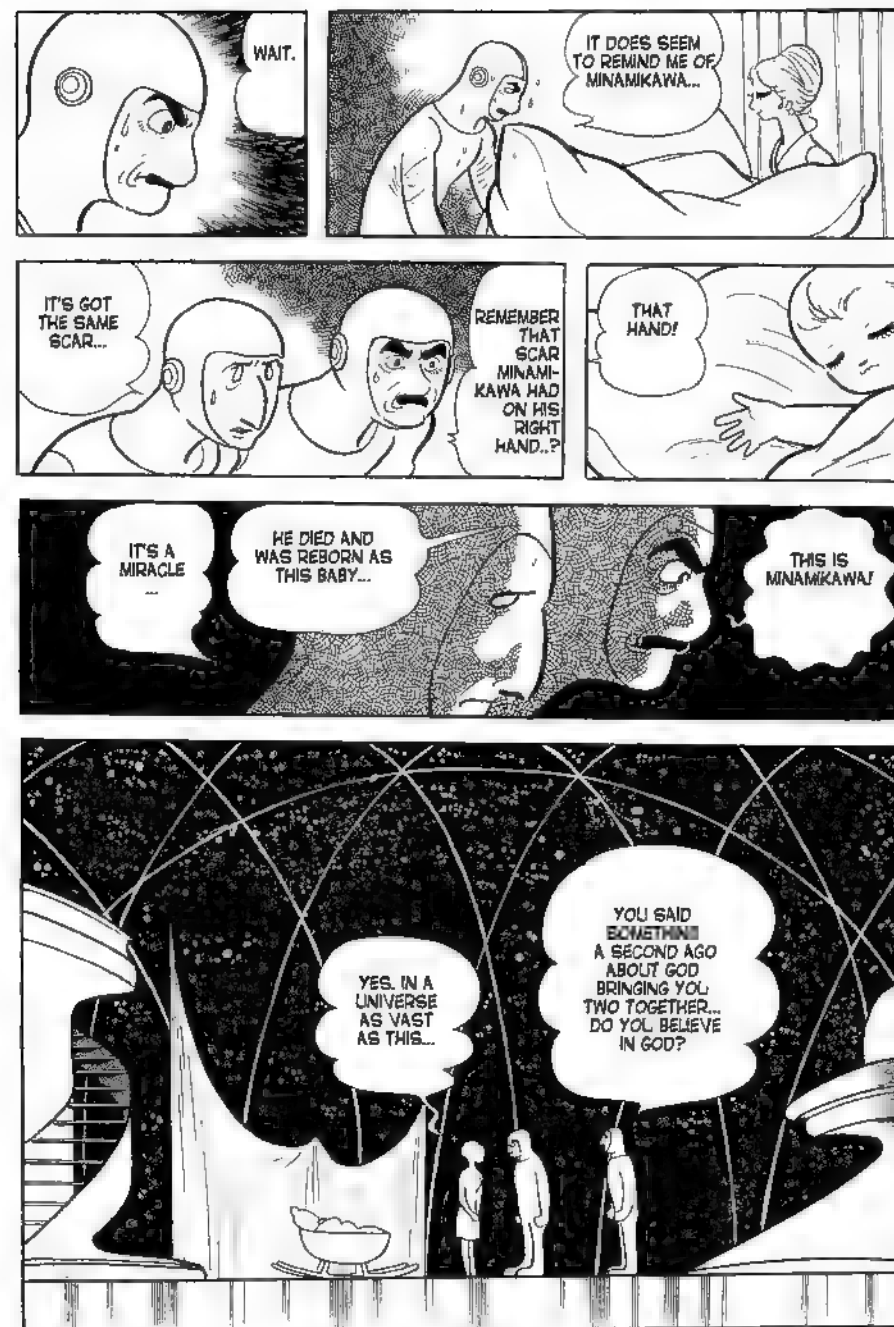


ROBOT.
YOU NEED
TO CONDUCT
YOURSELF
PROPERLY
BEFORE
US.

A KID? YOU
HAD A KID?
YOU'RE CRAZY



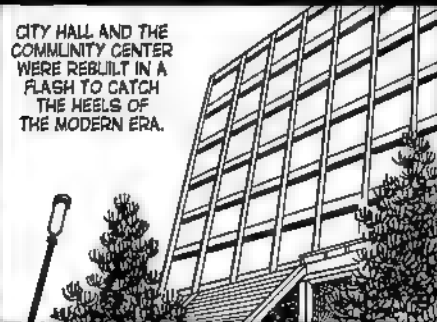
AND GOD
GAVE US
A CHILD...



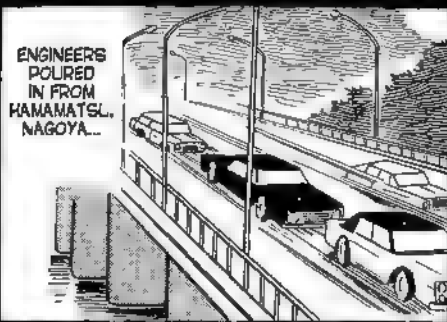
時計仕掛けの りんご

CLOCKWORK APPLE

CITY HALL AND THE
COMMUNITY CENTER
WERE REBUILT IN A
FLASH TO CATCH
THE HEELS OF
THE MODERN ERA.



ENGINEERS
POURED
IN FROM
HAMAMATSU,
NAGOYA...



CONCERTS,
THEATER,
MATCHING
THE SCALE
OF THOSE
DONE IN
TOKYO.



EVERY MOTHER
IN TOWN
SUDDENLY
BEGAN TO
BUSTLE
ABOUT WHAT
SCHOOL TO
SEND THEIR
CHILD TO.



BY THE WAY,
I WORK AT THAT
CANBERRA
FACTORY.



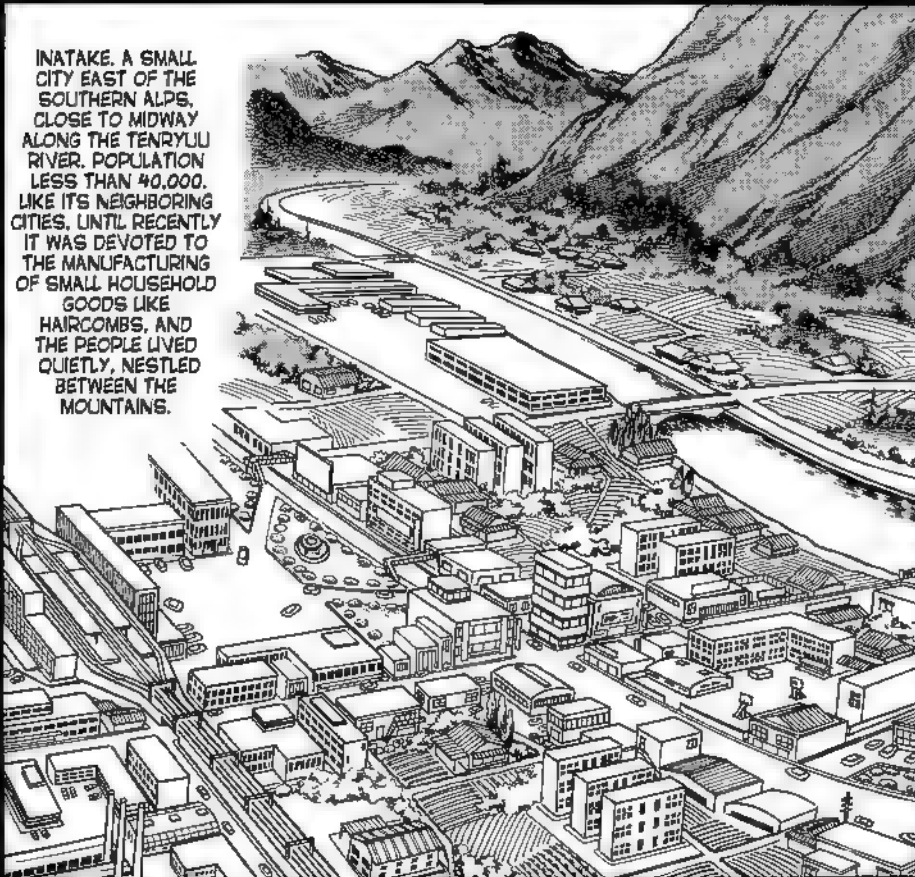
YUUSAKU
SHIRAKAWA,
33 YEARS OLD.



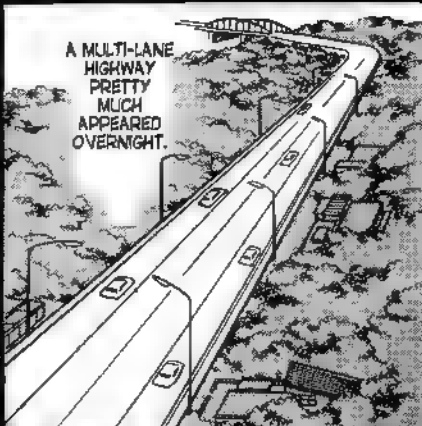
THE CITY WAS
FULL OF THE
VIBRANT ALURA
OF URBAN
PROGRESS.



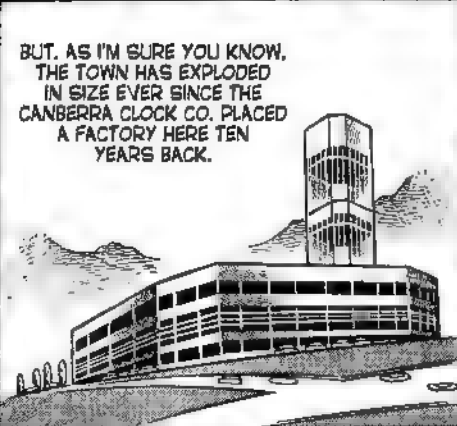
INATAKE. A SMALL
CITY EAST OF THE
SOUTHERN ALPS.
CLOSE TO MIDWAY
ALONG THE TENRYU
RIVER. POPULATION
LESS THAN 40,000.
LIKE ITS NEIGHBORING
CITIES. UNTIL RECENTLY
IT WAS DEVOTED TO
THE MANUFACTURING
OF SMALL HOUSEHOLD
GOODS LIKE
HAIRCOMBS, AND
THE PEOPLE LIVED
QUIETLY, NESTLED
BETWEEN THE
MOUNTAINS.

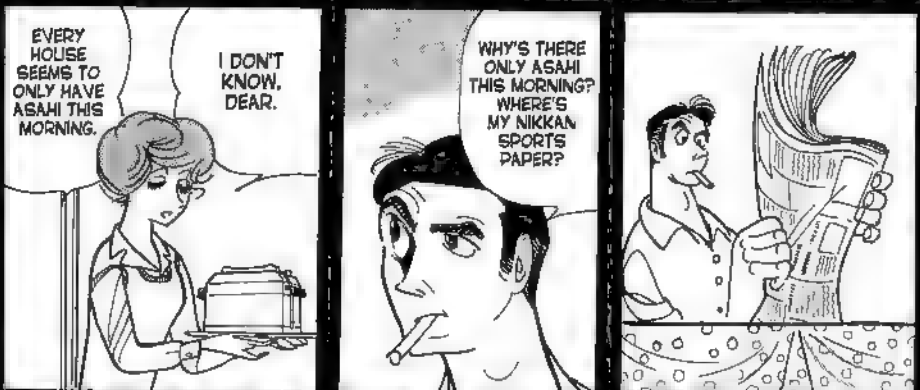


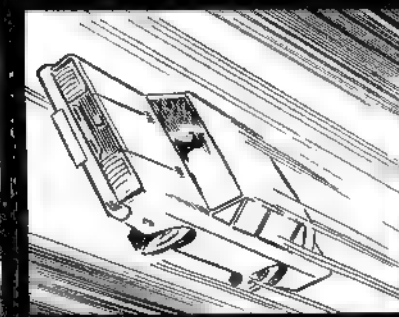
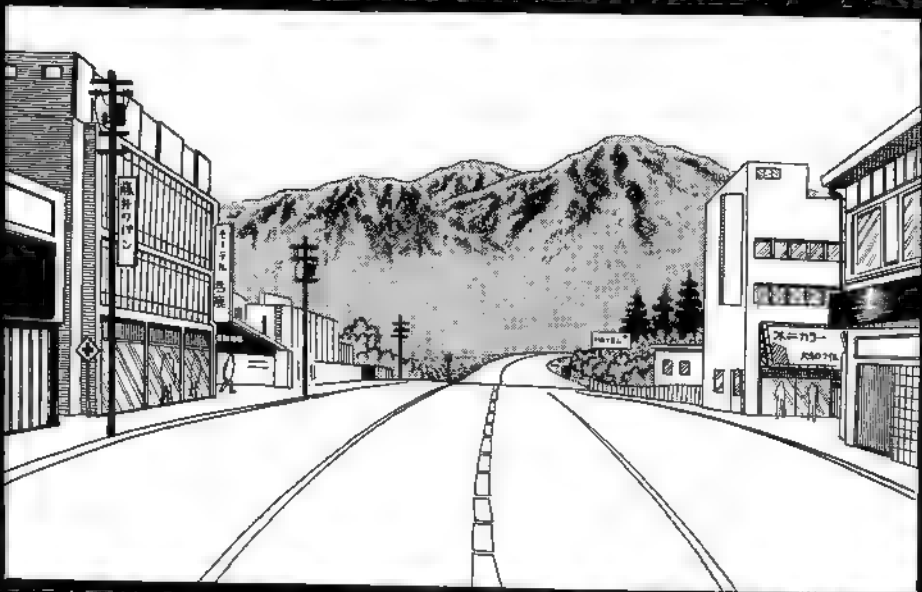
A MULTI-LANE
HIGHWAY
PRETTY
MUCH
APPEARED
OVERNIGHT.

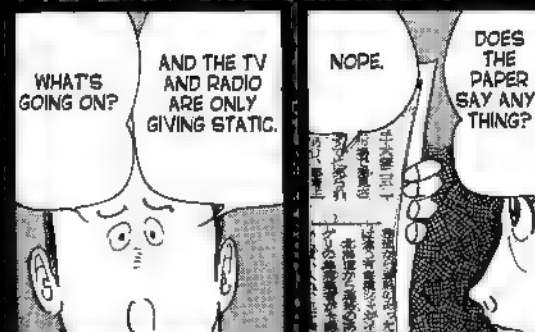
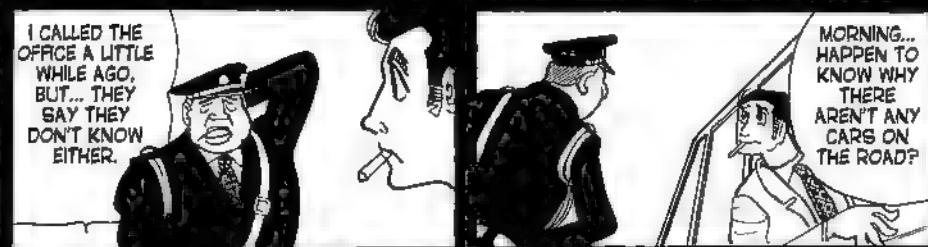


BUT, AS I'M SURE YOU KNOW,
THE TOWN HAS EXPLODED
IN SIZE EVER SINCE THE
CANBERRA CLOCK CO. PLACED
A FACTORY HERE TEN
YEARS BACK.











LET'S CARRY HER TO THE INFIRMARY.

WHAT HAPPENED?

MICHI! ARE YOU OK?!



GO AHEAD. YOU SHOULD PROBABLY TRY TO GET IT ALL OUT OF YOU.

OHMM... UGH...



(MORNING SICKNESS?)

I DON'T KNOW WHAT HAPPENED. I WAS JUST EATING THAT CURRY AND THE NEXT THING YOU KNOW...

YES, THANK YOU. I'M FINE NOW.

DO YOU FEEL BETTER?



DESPITE THE FEW ABSENCES THAT THIS MAY CAUSE, WORK AT THE FACTORY WILL CONTINUE AS NORMAL. THANK YOU.

ATTENTION ALL STAFF. MANY OF YOU ARE AWARE THAT THE SOUTHERN HIGHWAY WAS CLOSED THIS MORNING. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED WORD THAT THIS IS DUE TO THE TENRYUJI BRIDGE COLLAPSING LATE LAST NIGHT. THE SELF DEFENSE FORCES HAVE BEEN DEPLOYED TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM AND REPAIRS ARE EXPECTED TO BE FINISHED WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.



WELL, NOT LIKE THERE'S ANYWHERE WE COULD GO IF THEY LET US OFF.

"BUSINESS AS USUAL"...



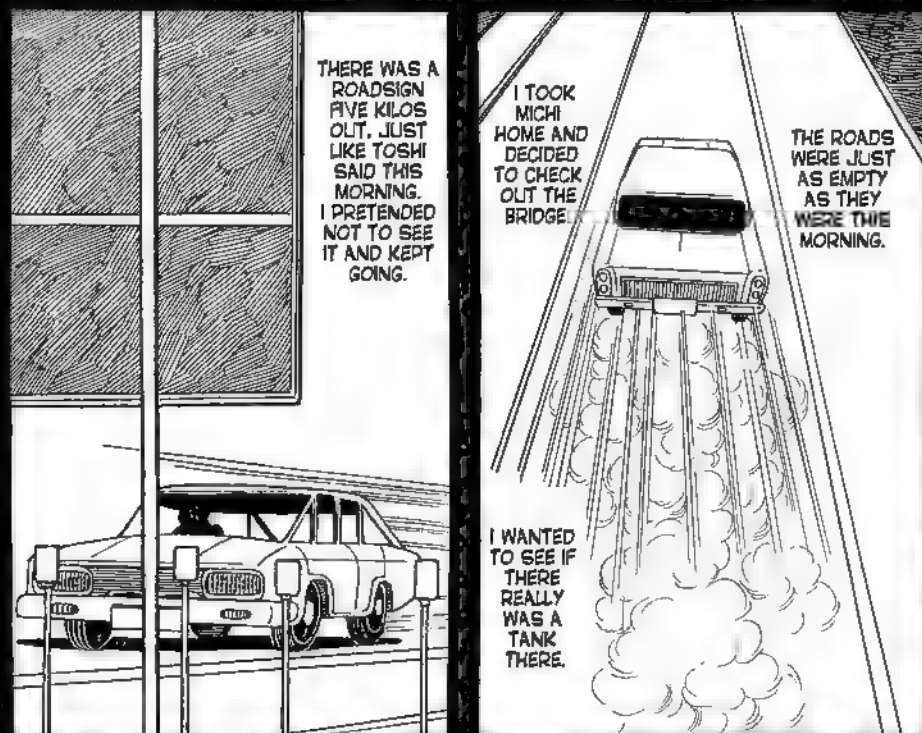
DAMN. YOU DON'T EVEN GET TO EAT CURRY SOMETIMES?

WE NEVER HAVE RICE. BREAKFAST, LUNCH, DINNER IS BREAD, BREAD AND MORE BREAD.

MY WIFE'S KIND OF A NUT ABOUT IT.

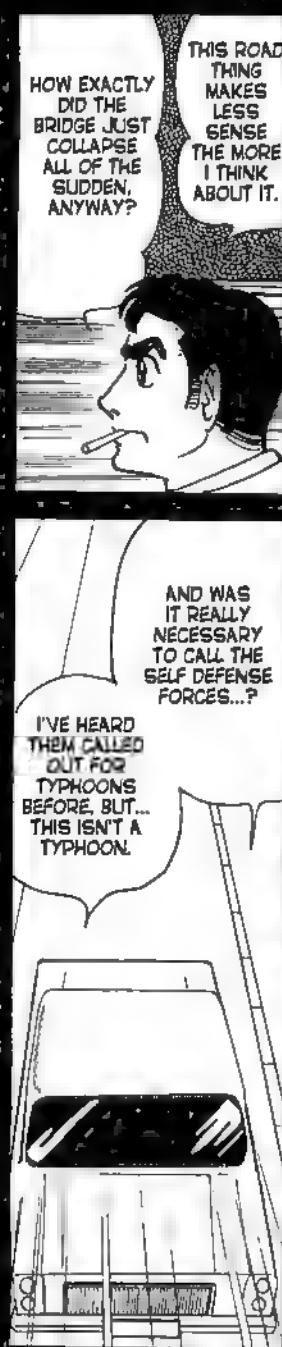
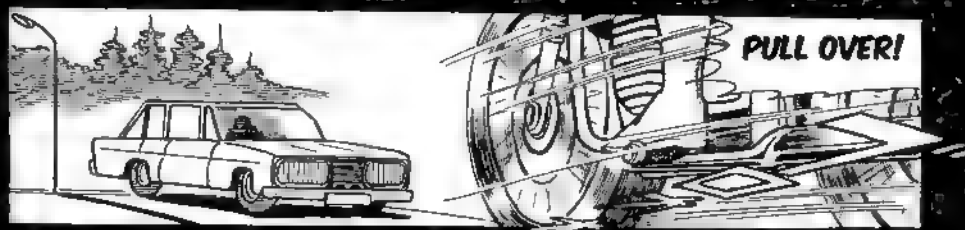
YOU EAT BREAD EVERY DAY, SHIRAKAWA?





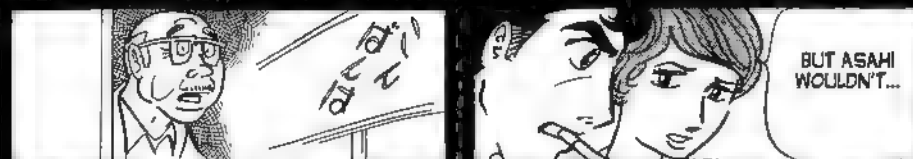
SEEMS LIKE THERE'S AN EXPRESSION IN JAPANESE FOR "CHEATING BUGS" OR "BUGS OF INFIDELITY"



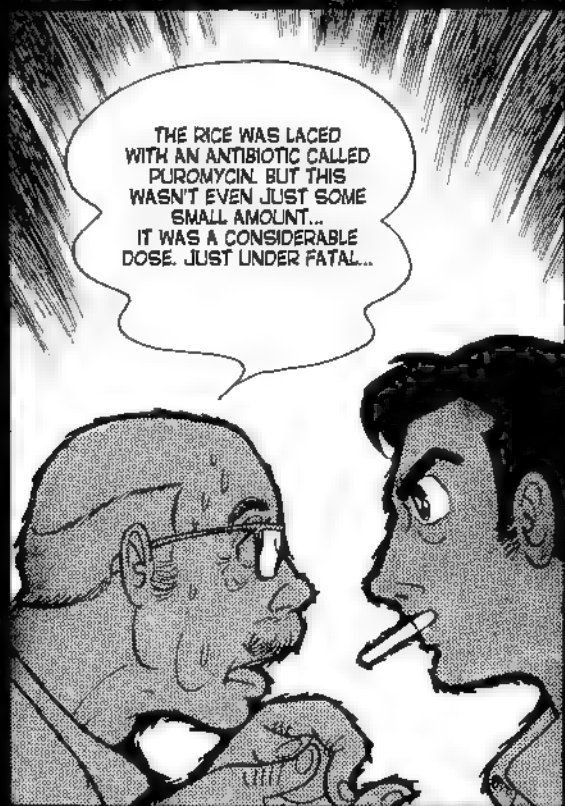




"THE TENRYU BRIDGE ON ROUTE 38 TO INATAKE IS CURRENTLY BEING FIXED BY THE SELF DEFENSE FORCES... HOWEVER, REPAIRS MAY TAKE LONGER THAN FIRST PRESUMED..."



"GOOD EVENING"



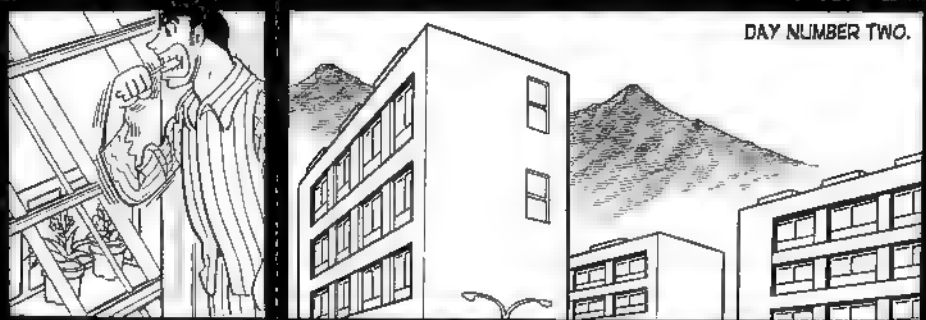
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO CHOSE TO IGNORE THE ROAD SIGN.

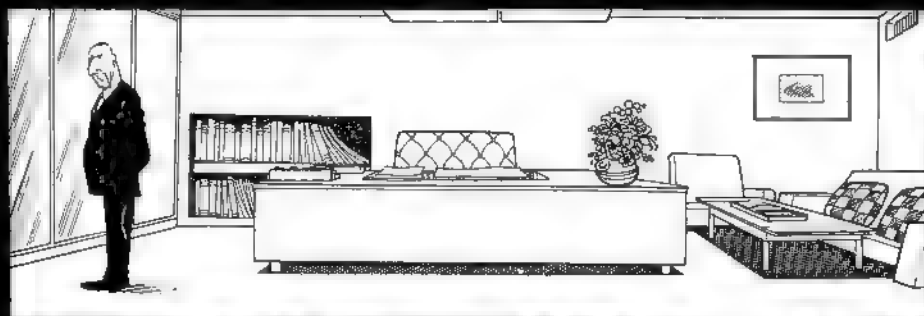
I DON'T THINK THAT'S ENTIRELY NECESSARY.



I FELT A CHILL RUN DOWN MY SPINE. SOMETHING HERE IS VERY, VERY WRONG...







WHAT ABOUT IT?



I CAME TO TALK ABOUT THE RICE BEING USED IN THE CAFETERIA...

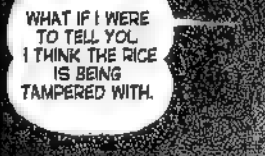


WHAT DO YOU NEED?



MY NAME IS SHIRAKAWA, DIVISION 4.

WHAT IF I WERE TO TELL YOU I THINK THE RICE IS BEING TAMPERED WITH.



NO... NONE TO MY KNOWLEDGE.



HAVE THERE BEEN ANY CHANGES RECENTLY AS TO HOW THE RICE IS SHIPPED HERE?



I DID A LITTLE RESEARCH.



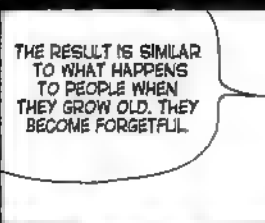
THE RICE IS BEING LACED WITH A DRUG CALLED PUROMYCIN.



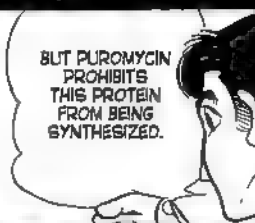
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?



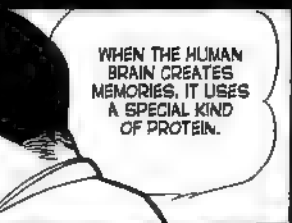
THE RESULT IS SIMILAR TO WHAT HAPPENS TO PEOPLE WHEN THEY GROW OLD. THEY BECOME FORGETFUL.



BUT PUROMYCIN PROHIBITS THIS PROTEIN FROM BEING SYNTHESIZED.



WHEN THE HUMAN BRAIN CREATES MEMORIES, IT USES A SPECIAL KIND OF PROTEIN.



BUT ONCE HE LEFT, HE DIDN'T COME BACK.



THE DOCTOR LEFT FOR THE HEALTH OFFICES THE NEXT MORNING LIKE HE SAID.



HEY.



I'M WELL ENOUGH.



FEEL ANY BETTER?



OH, WELL... I MEAN...



SO YOU DID TRUST ME.



THANK YOU...



I'LL GO TRY TO TALK TO THE PRESIDENT.

I NEED TO LET THE BOARD KNOW.



YOU WERE RIGHT. THERE WAS SOMETHING IN THAT RICE.

MAY I COME IN?

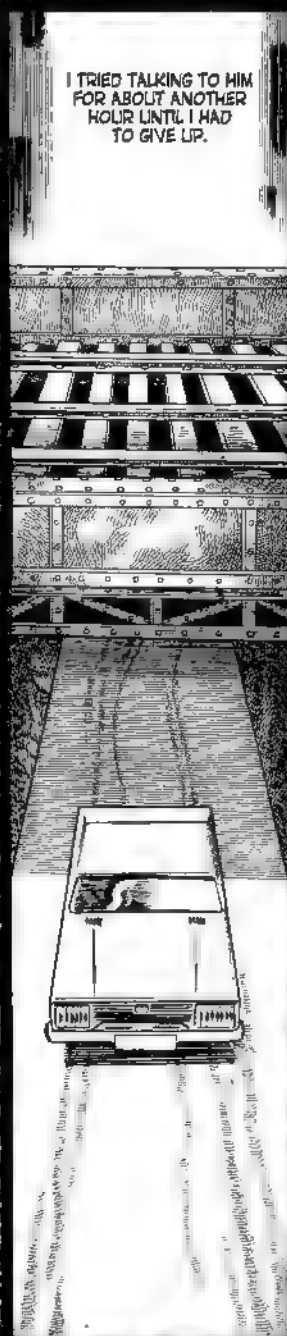
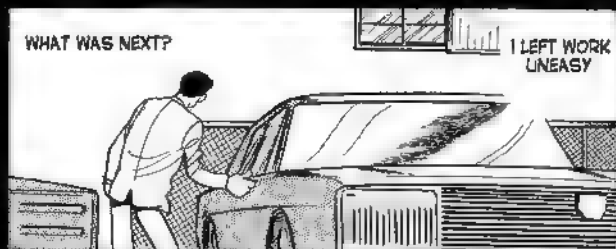


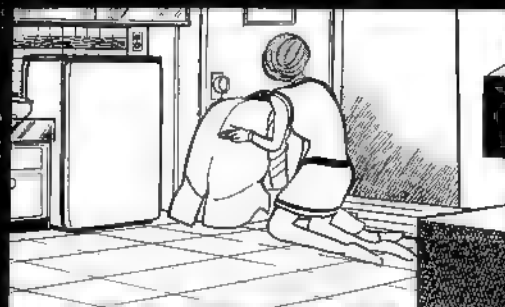
EXCUSE ME, WOULD I BE ABLE TO SPEAK TO THE PRESIDENT? IT'S SOMEWHAT URGENT.

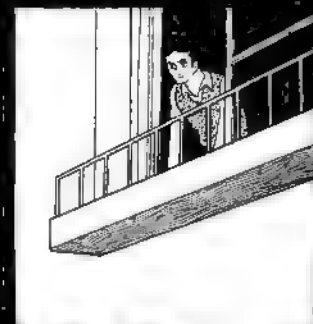
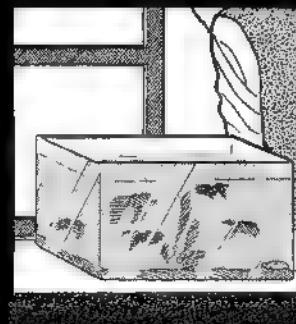
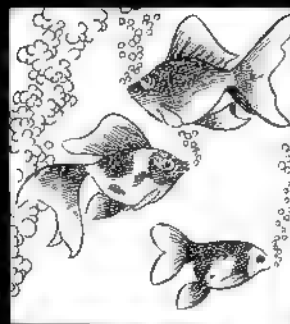
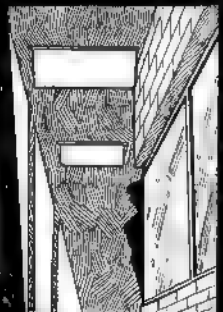
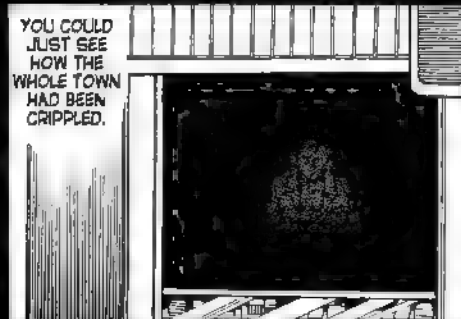


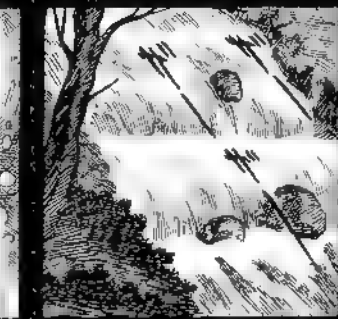
MICHI... YOU'LL BE THE END OF ME.

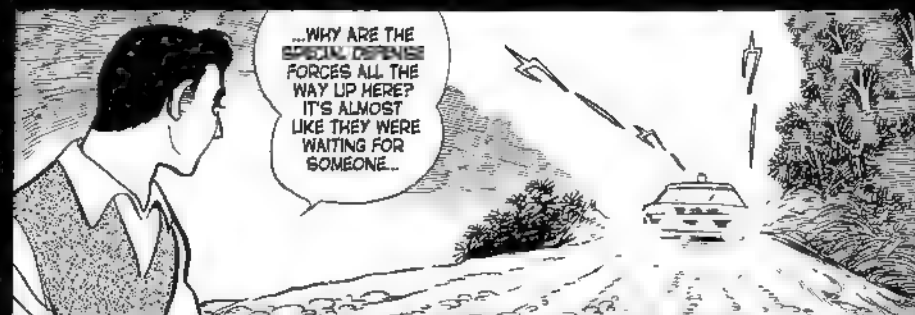
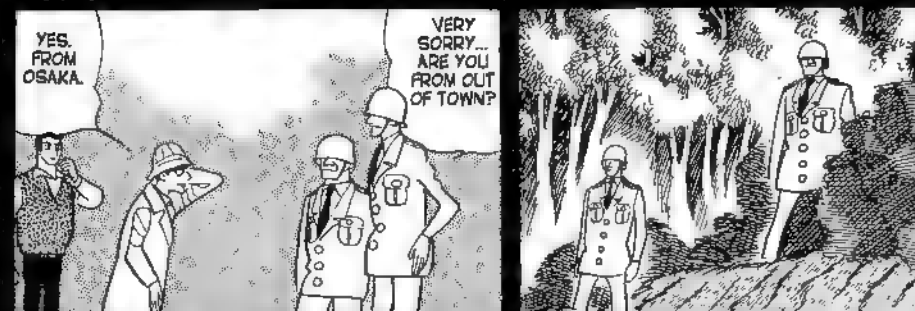
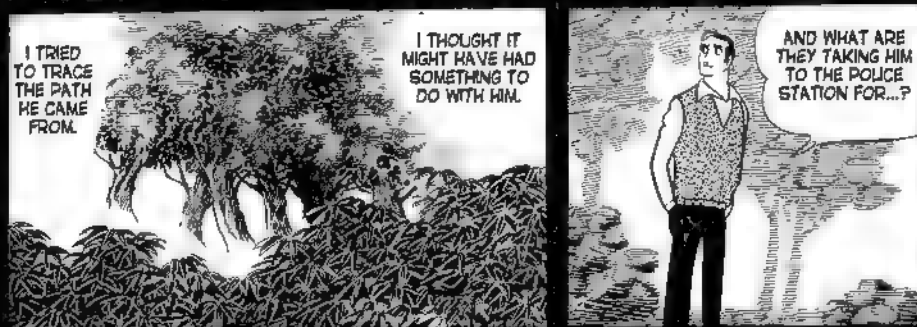


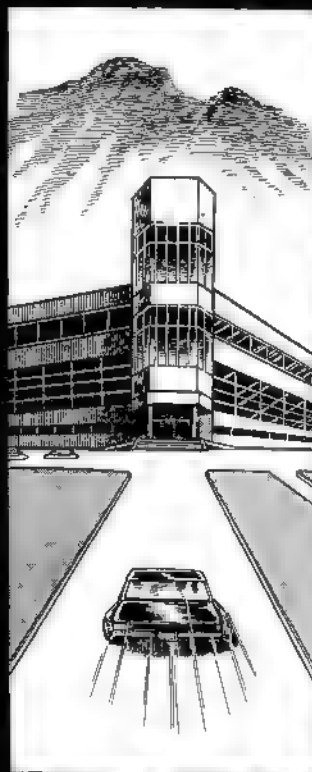














NO TV.
NO RADIO...
A NEWSPAPER
FULL OF
COMPLETELY
FABRICATED
STORIES.

BY NOW, ANY
NORMAL
PERSON
WOULD HAVE
GROWN
SUSPICIOUS.



YES. THOSE
ARE ALL
A PART OF
THE PLAN.

SURE.



IT DOESN'T
EVEN CROSS
THEIR MIND.

EXCEPT MAYBE
YOU, NO ONE
SUSPECTS
ANYTHING...

BUT PUROMYCIN'S A
HELL OF A DRUG.



WE'VE ACTUALLY BEEN
PUTTING IT IN THE RICE SINCE
ABOUT A MONTH AGO NOW,
INCREASING THE AMOUNT
LITTLE BY LITTLE...

CORRECT.



THAT'S WHAT
THE PUROMYCIN'S
FOR. TO DISABLE
ANYONE FROM
RESISTING YOU!



NNMMH
...

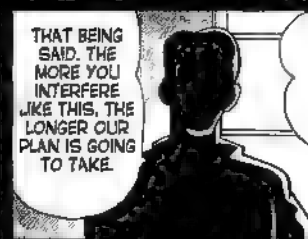
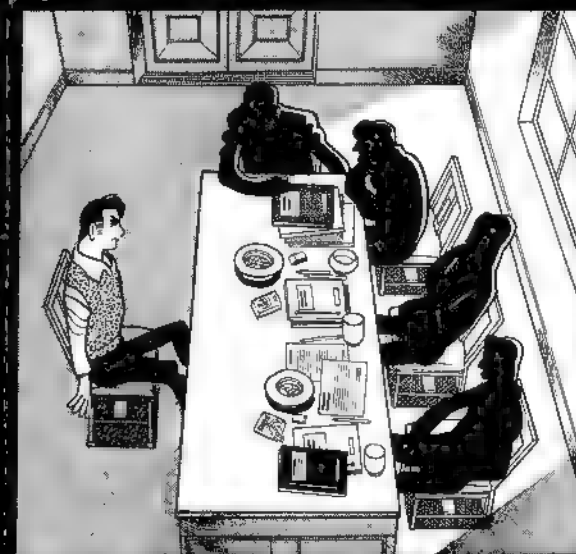


FEEL
ALRIGHT?
HAVE
SOME TEA.

HE'S
AWAKE.



WHERE IS THIS?
THE S.D.F
HEADQUARTERS?



THAT BEING
SAID, THE
MORE YOU
INTERFERE
LIKE THIS, THE
LONGER OUR
PLAN IS GOING
TO TAKE.



IT WAS OUR INTENTION TO INVOLVE THE
CITIZENS OF INATAKE AS LITTLE
AS POSSIBLE. WE REGRET THAT
THINGS HAVE COME TO THIS.



BEFORE
ANYTHING, WE
NEED YOU TO
UNDERSTAND.

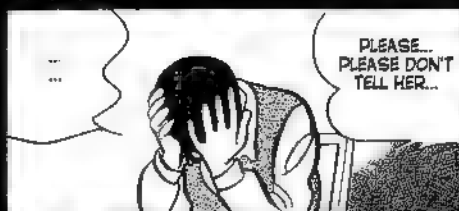
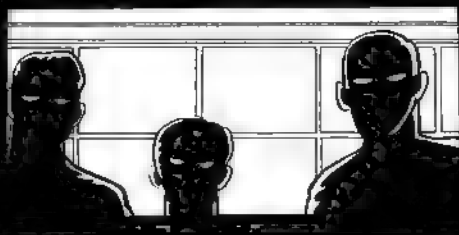


CUTTING OFF THE
ROADS, BRINGING IN
TANKS, PUTTING DRUGS
IN OUR FOOD...



WHAT
PLAN?





PLEASE...
PLEASE DON'T
TELL HER...



"GET IT PAST
YOUR THROAT
AND YOU'LL
FORGET IT WAS
EVER HOT." KNOW THAT
EXPRESSION?*



NO MATTER
WHAT
I SEE?

OF COURSE.
BUT YOU HAVE
TO KEEP YOUR
EYES SHUT
FOR US.



YES,
SHIRAKAWA!
NO MATTER
WHAT.



MY WIFE
WOULDN'T
FALL FOR
SOMETHING
LIKE THIS!

THIS?! THIS
IS FAKE!!



HOW DO
YOU EXPLAIN
THIS? THIS
PICTURE OF
THE TWO OF
YOU AT HER
APARTMENT...

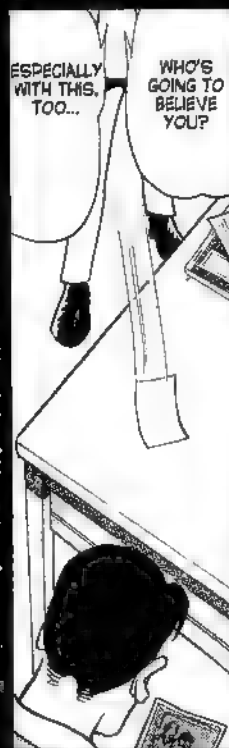


HOW MUCH DOES
YOUR WIFE KNOW
ABOUT YOU AND
MICHI AKIYOSHI?



THAT WE WORK
TOGETHER?
I DON'T
UNDERSTAND
WHAT YOU'RE...

MICHI
AND I?



ESPECIALLY
WITH THIS,
TOO...

WHO'S
GOING TO
BELIEVE
YOU?



SHE WAS
SICK.
I WAS
HELPING
HER.

THIS?!

*SORRY, YOU DON'T. IT'S A JAPANESE EXPRESSION.

I WAS THINKING "TIPPING OFF A BAND-AID"

OR SOMETHING BUT IT TRANSLATES

WELL ENOUGH AS IS, I THINK.

I WAS TOSSED OUT ON SOME ROAD AROUND THE OUTSKIRTS OF TOWN. ALL I COULD THINK OF TO DO WAS WALK BACK TO MY HOUSE. I FELT LIKE I WAS DEFLATING WITH EACH STEP



I SAW A FEW OF MY COLLEAGUES FROM WORK ON THE WAY BACK. I TRIED TO SAY HELLO BUT... THERE WASN'T MUCH OF A REPLY.



EMPTY. EVERY LAST ONE A TRUE "CLOCKWORK APPLE"...



SOMETHING'S OFF. WHAT'S WRONG? ARE YOU... OK?

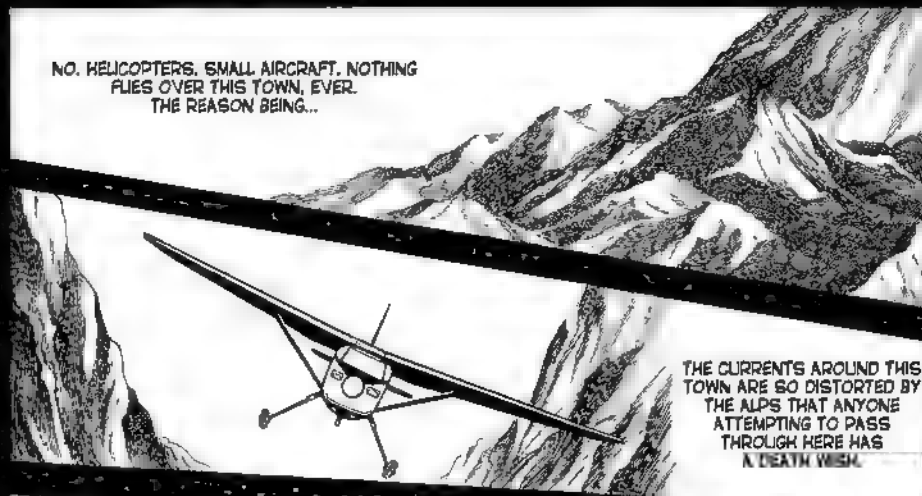
THE PHARMACIST FROM NEXT DOOR...

DID THEY GET YOU WHEN YOU WENT TO THE HEALTH OFFICES?

PUROMYCIN...

UWAH!!

NO. HELICOPTERS. SMALL AIRCRAFT. NOTHING
FLIES OVER THIS TOWN, EVER.
THE REASON BEING...



THE CURRENTS AROUND THIS
TOWN ARE SO DISTORTED BY
THE ALPS THAT ANYONE
ATTEMPTING TO PASS
THROUGH HERE HAS
A DEATH WISH.



IS THERE
NO HOPE?



I COULD SET
SOMETHING
DOWN THE RIVER...

THE
RIVER...

WHAT AM I
TALKING
ABOUT
THEY'D PICK
IT RIGHT UP.



NO SIGN
OF INTEREST
IN ANYTHING
AROUND
THEM.



EYES VACANT.



ALL THAT'S
LEFT IS THE
SKY...

THE
SKY!

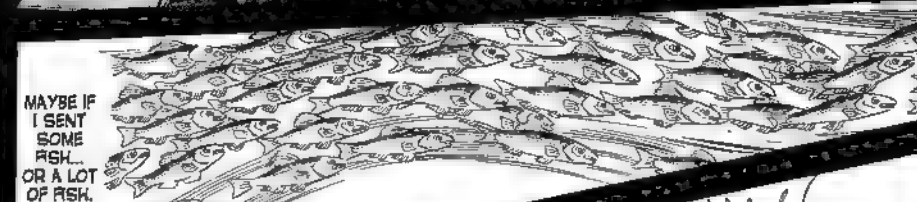
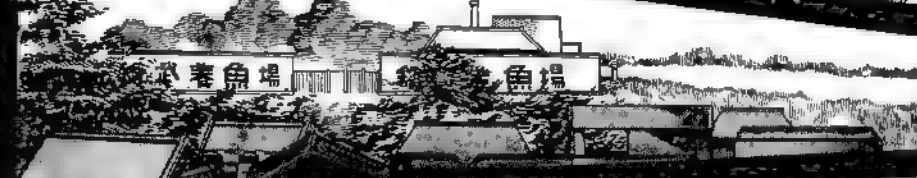
ENCASED IN
MOUNTAINS.
ROADS
CLOSED..
SOMEONE
TRAILING ME
WHEREVER
I GO.



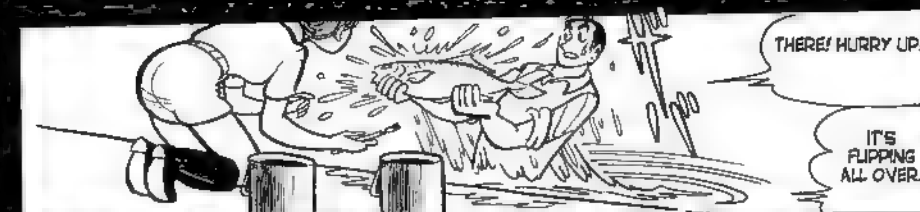
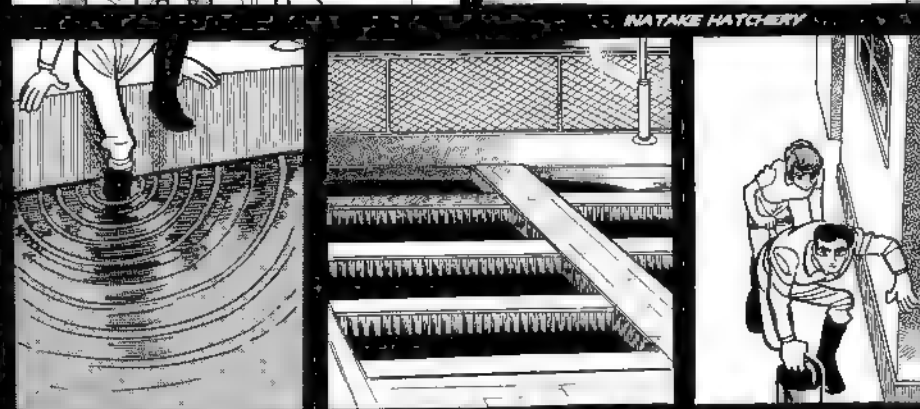
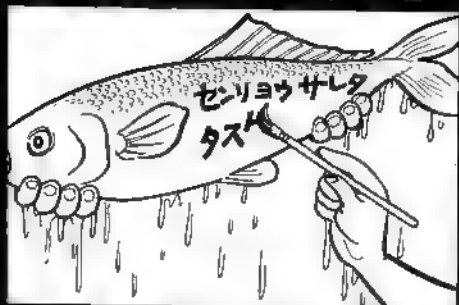
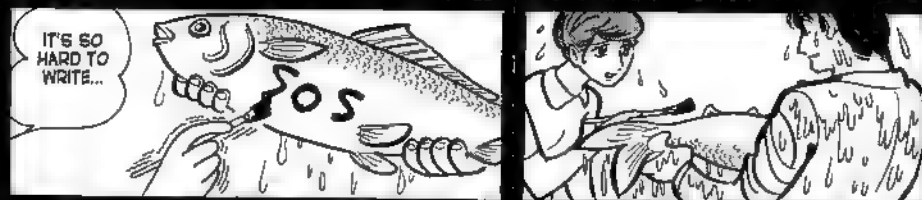
I NEED TO EXPOSE
THOSE FAKE SELF
DEFENSE FORCES
SOMEHOW BEFORE
THEY MOVE THEIR
PLAN TO THE
REAL "TARGET"...
BUT HOW?

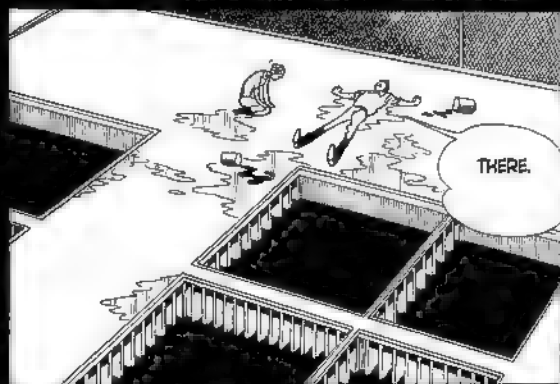


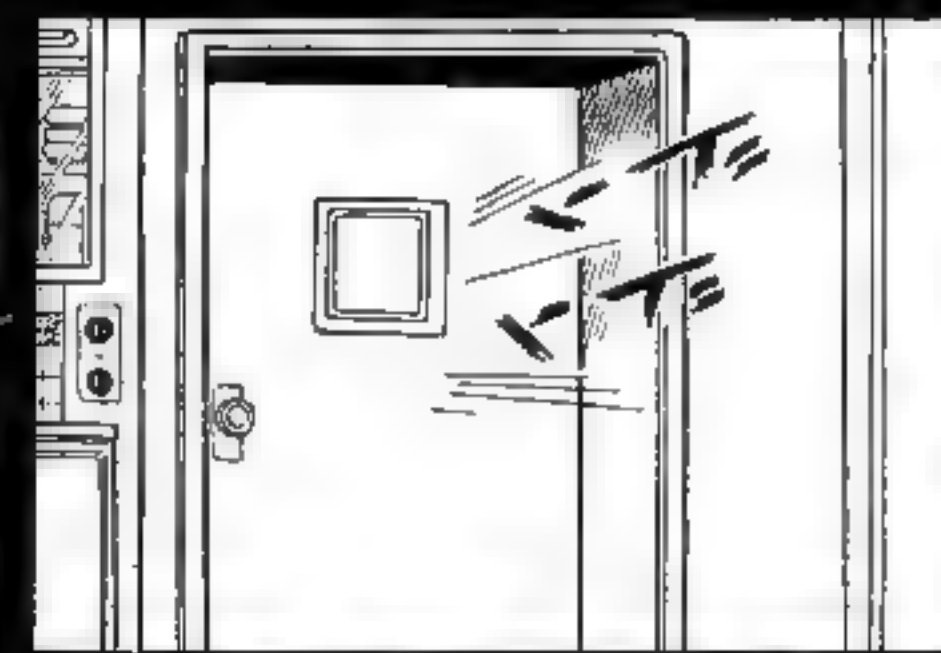
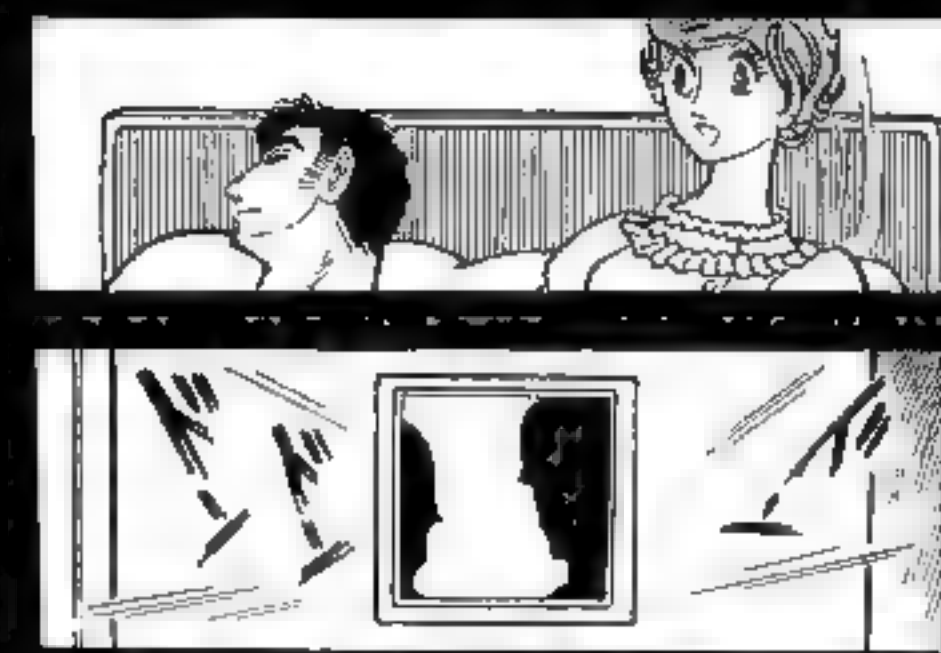
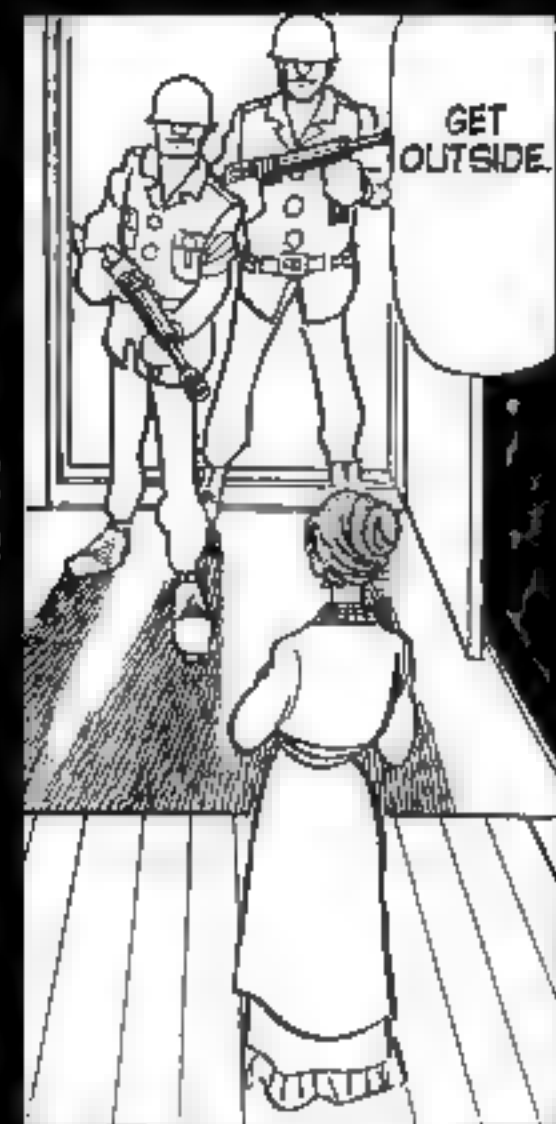
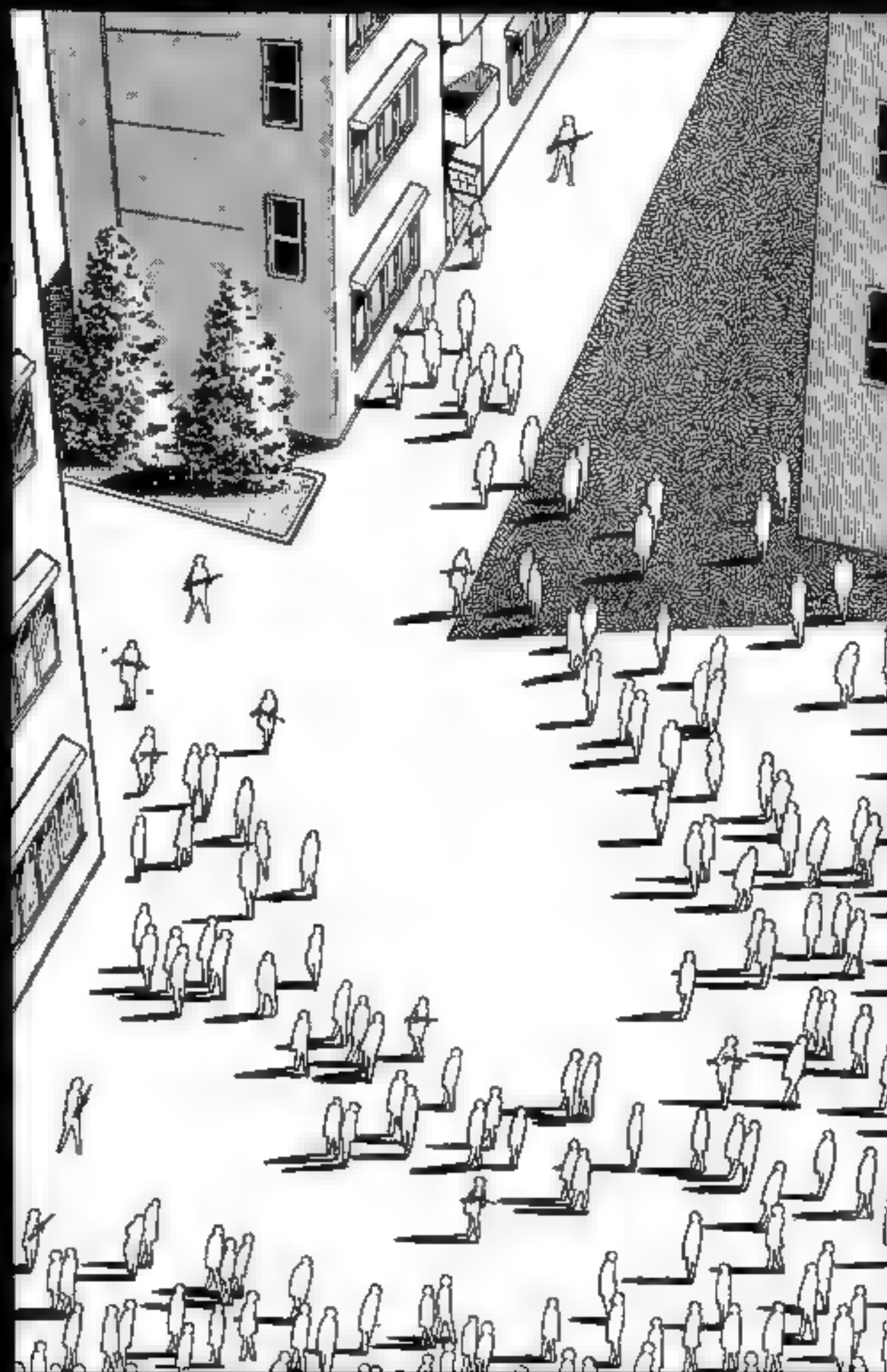
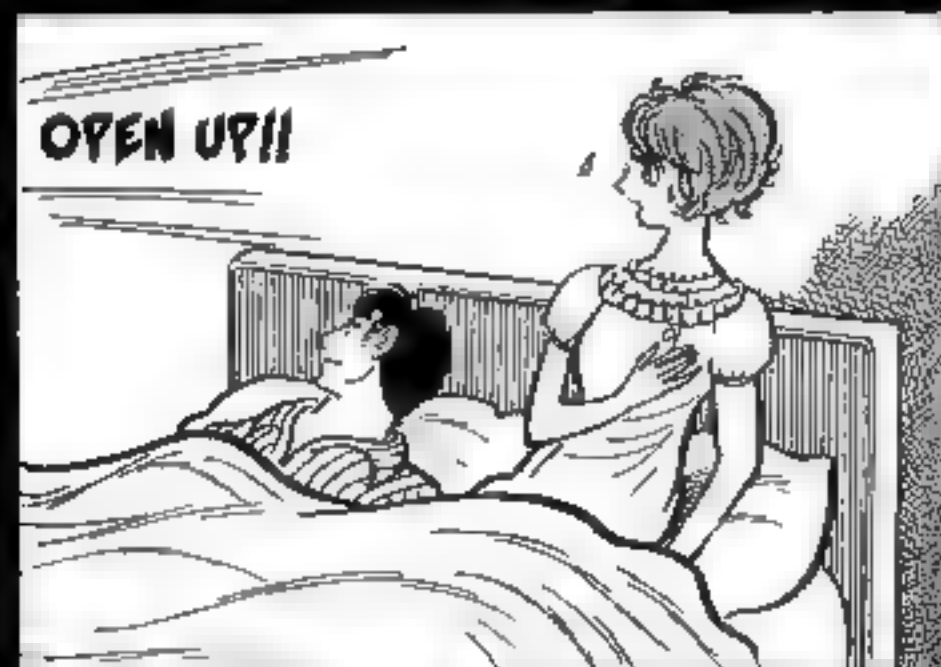
SACRIFICED
BY THE
HAND OF
PUROMYCIN

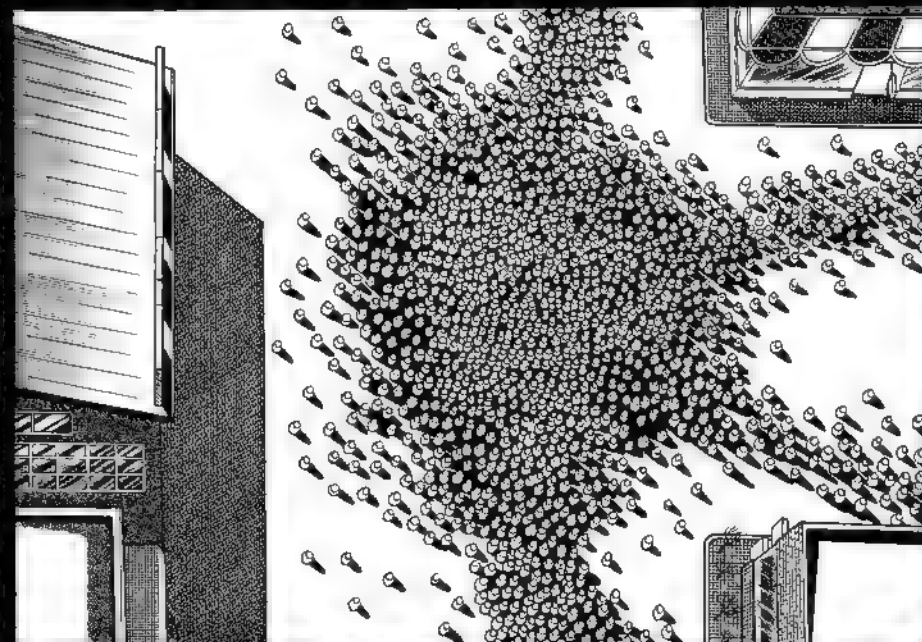
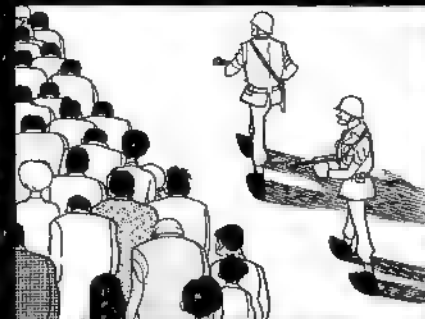
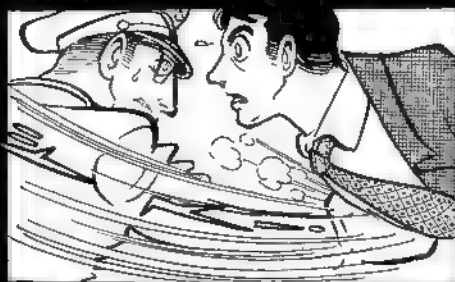
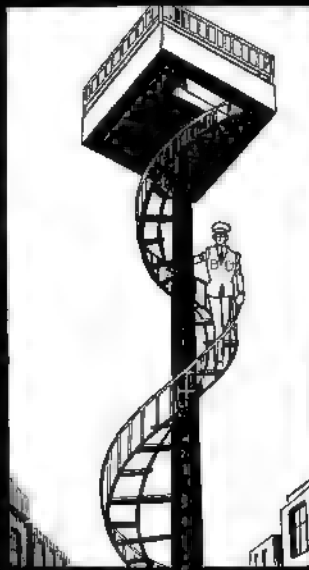






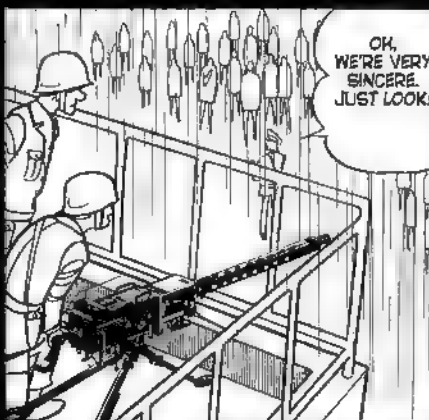




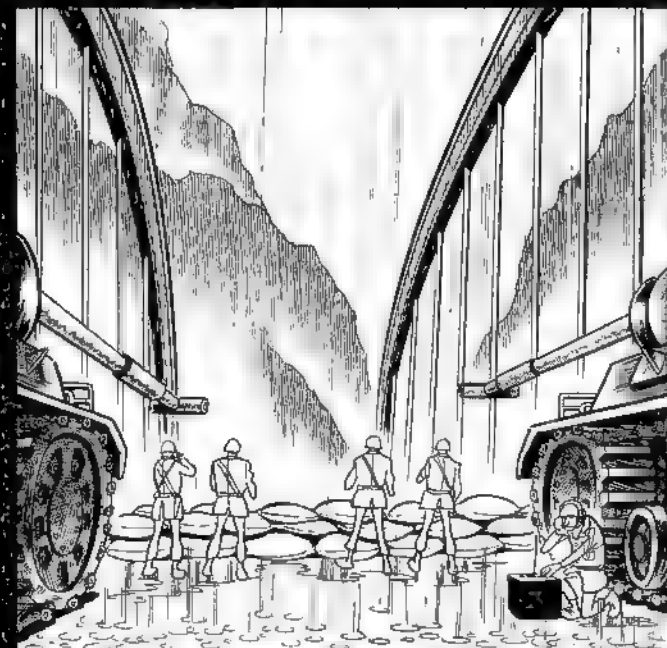
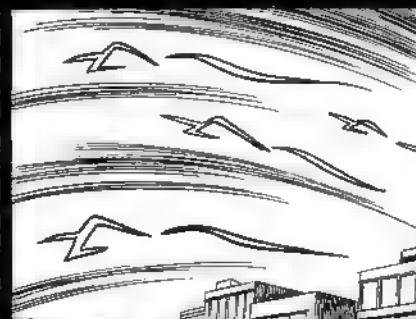
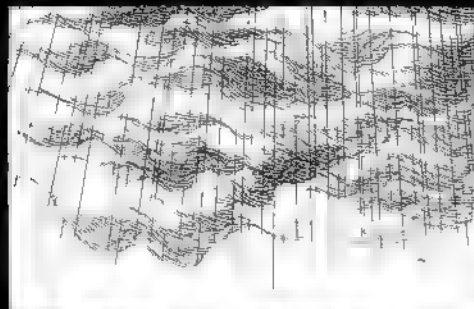
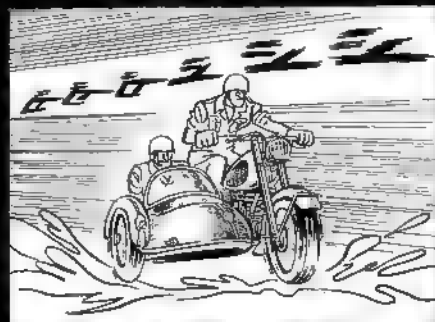
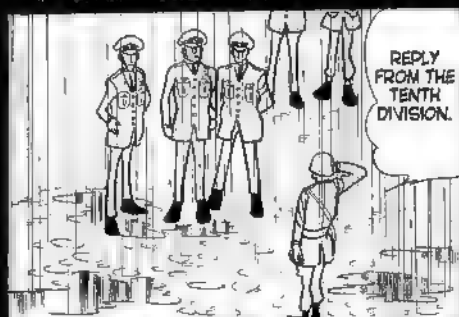


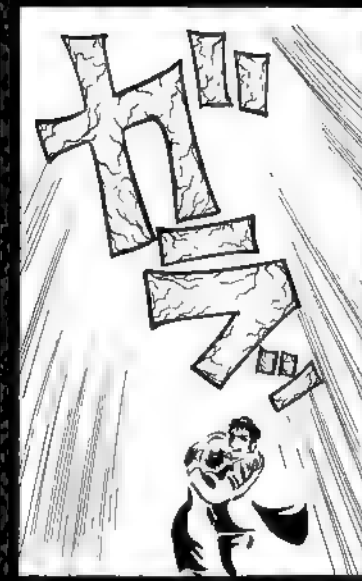
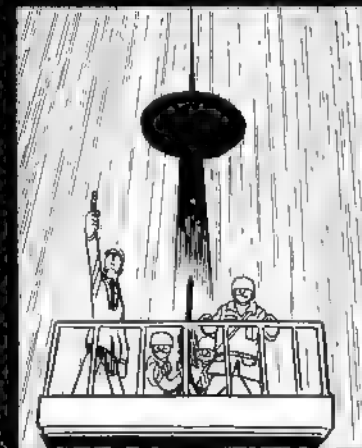
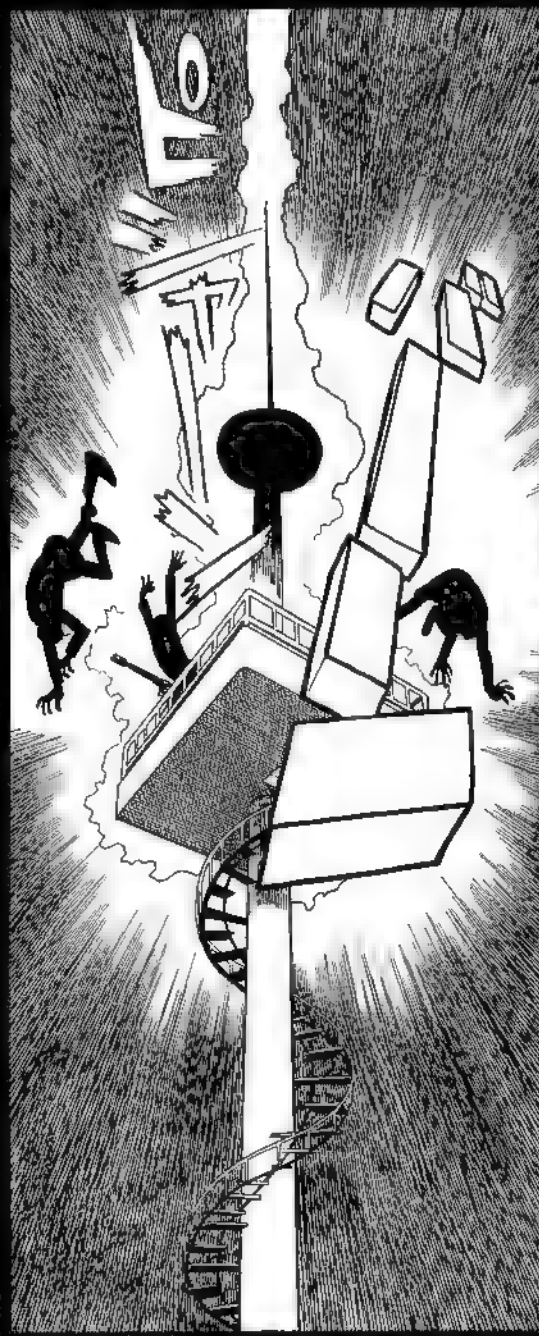
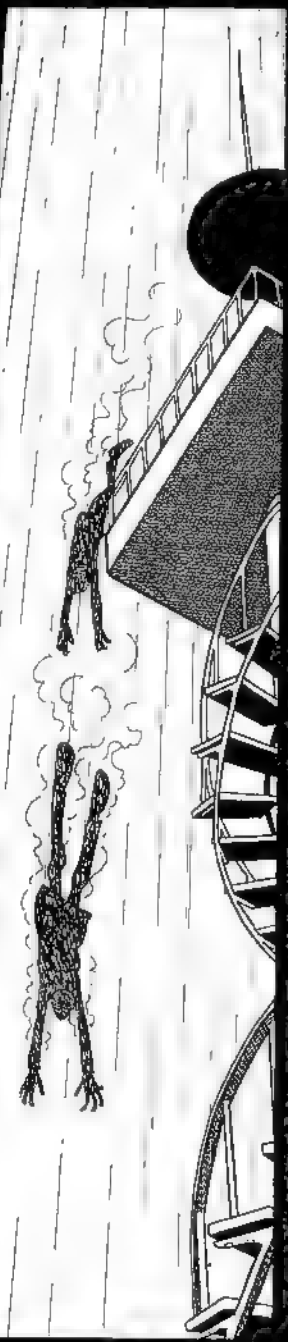
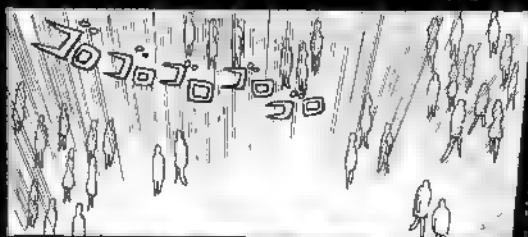
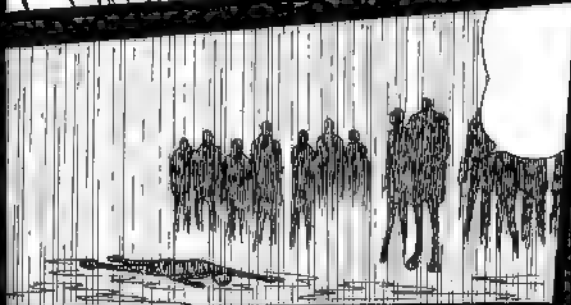
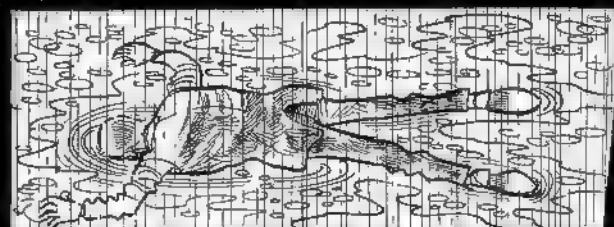


PROBABLY SOMETHING LIKE 2.26, I GUESS



COUP D'ETAT THAT TOOK PLACE ON FEBRUARY 28TH, 1936, IN SHORT, YOUNG MILITARY OFFICERS TRIED TO KILL A LOT OF OLD PEOPLE IN THE GOVERNMENT.







IN THE END, THE TOWN WAS SAVED
BY THE UNPREDICTABLE CLIMATE OF
THE SOLTERN ALPS.

THE REBELLION, HAVING LOST THEIR
LEADER, QUIETLY SURRENDERED TO
THE TENTH DIVISION.

THE CITIZENS OF INATAKE,
BEING THOROUGHLY SOAKED WITH
PUROMYCIN, WERE ON THE START
OF A LONG ROAD TO RECOVERY

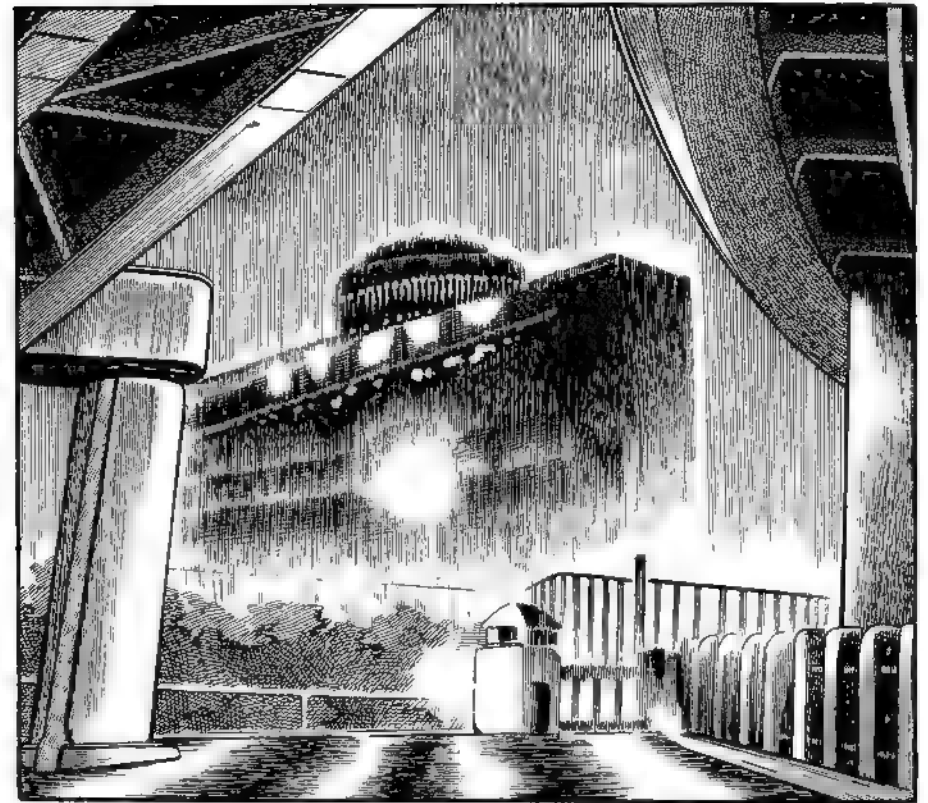
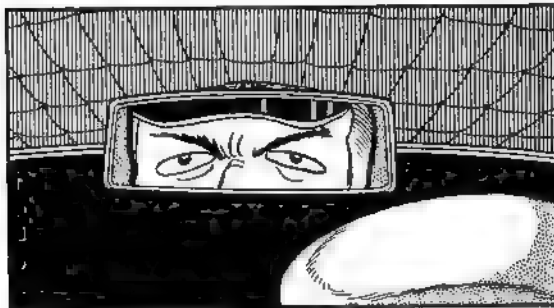
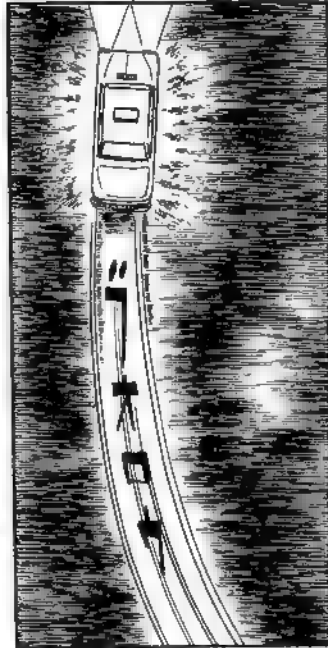
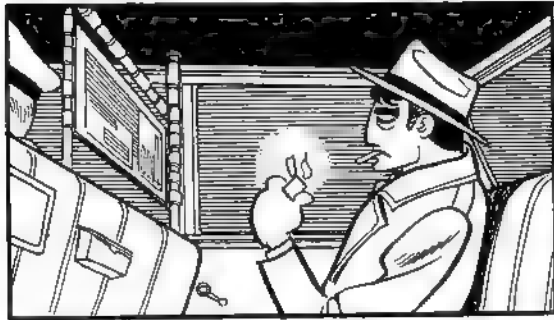
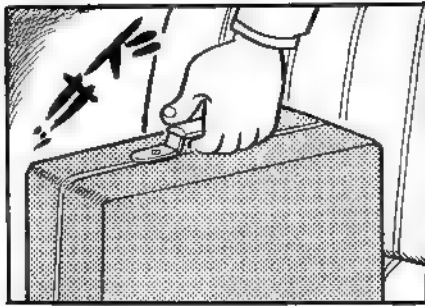
EVEN NOW I CAN'T SAY
I UNDERSTAND EXACTLY WHAT THE
GOALS OF THE REBELLION WERE.

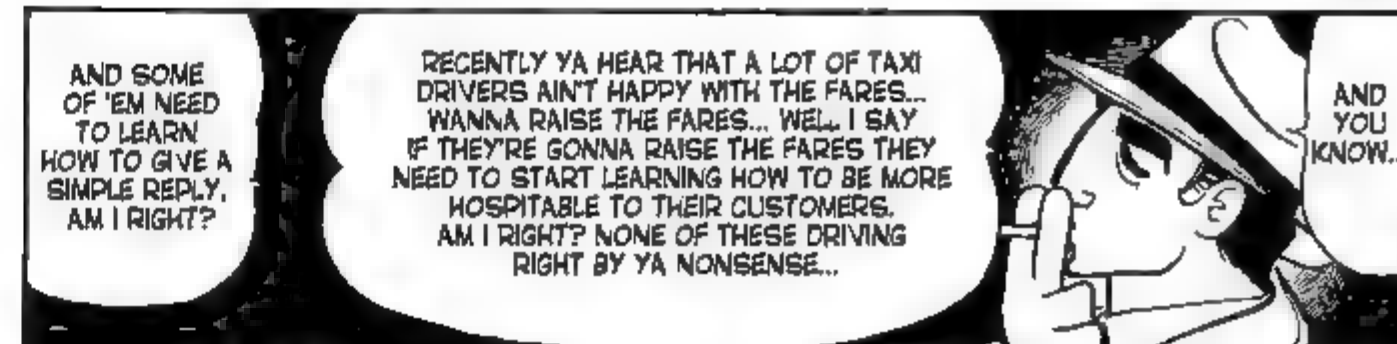
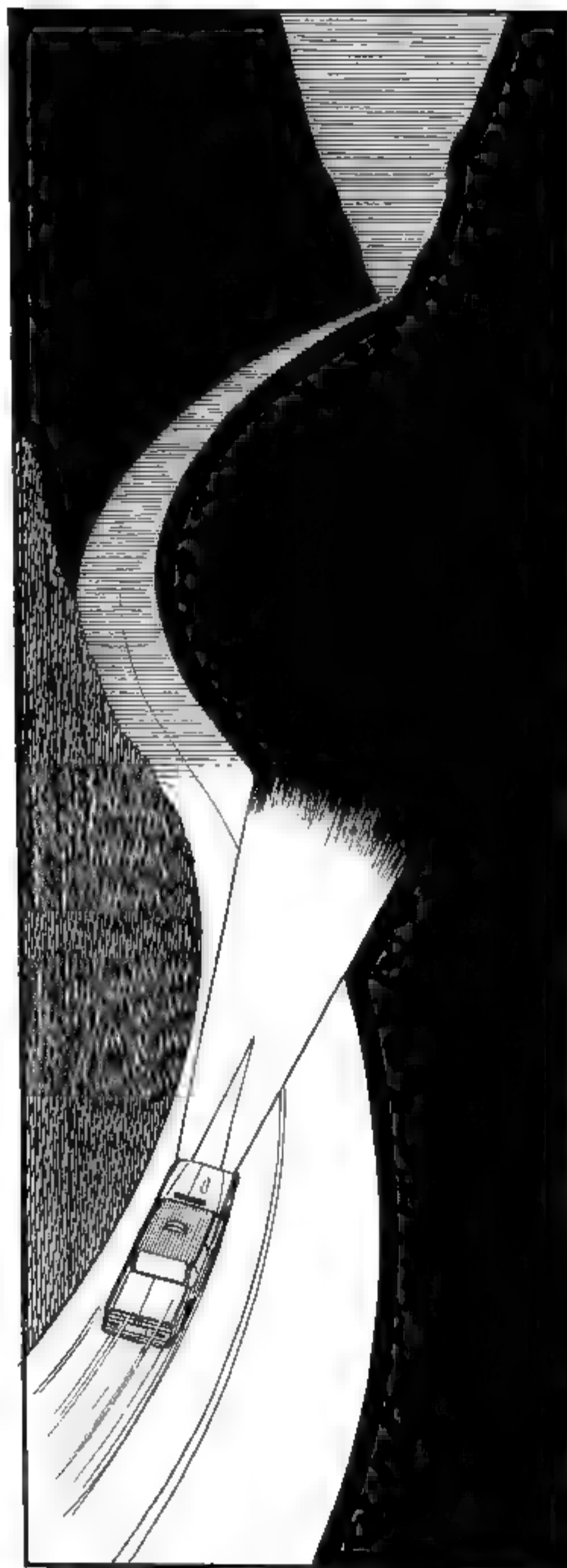
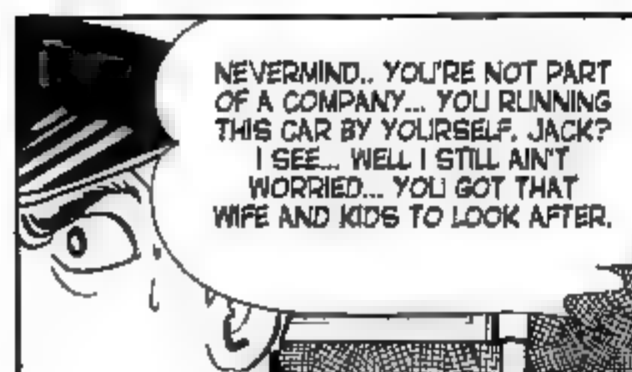
BUT WITH THEIR THOUGHT
CENSORSHIP, AND TERRORISM
FUELED ONLY BY AMBITION...
I WALKED AWAY REAFFIRMED THERE
IS A MADNESS IN HUMANITY.

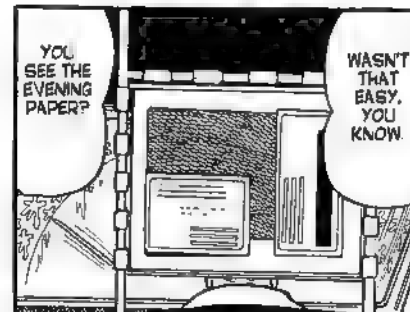
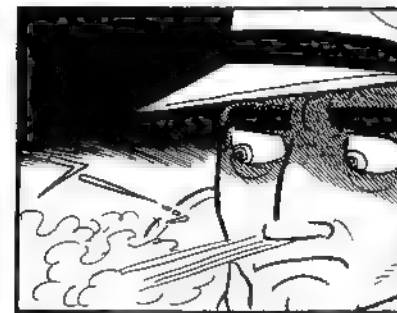
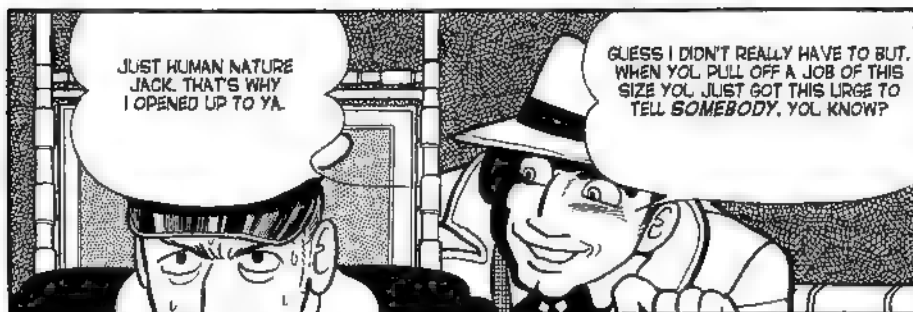
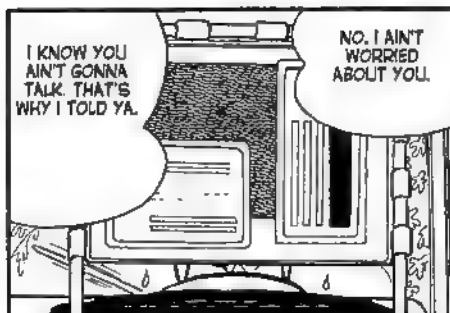


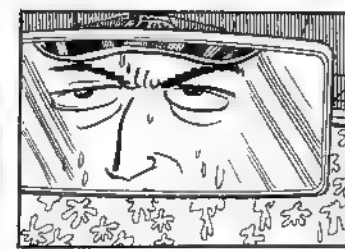
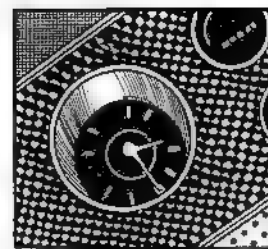
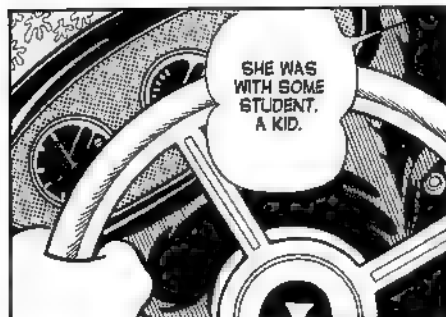
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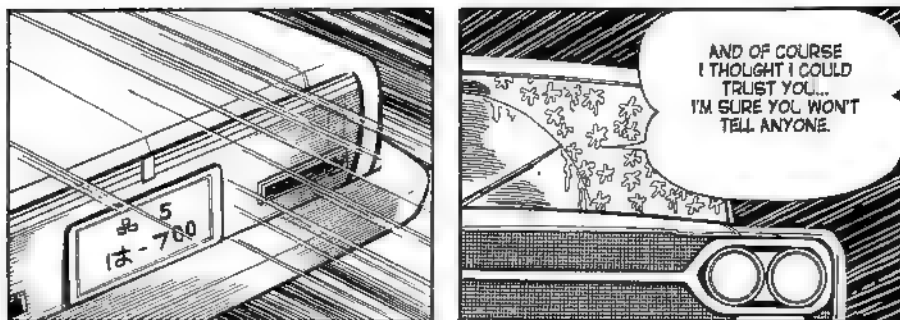
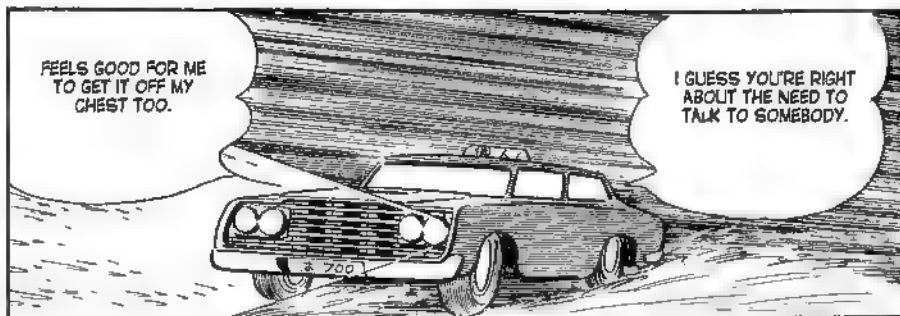
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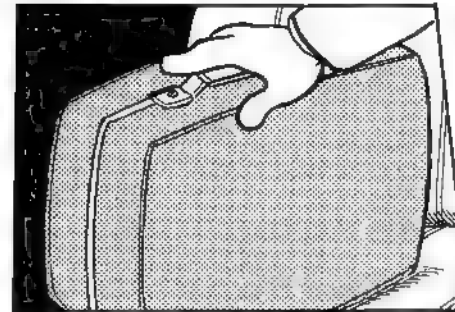






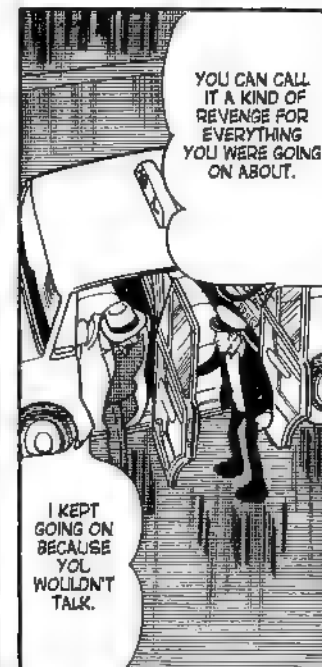
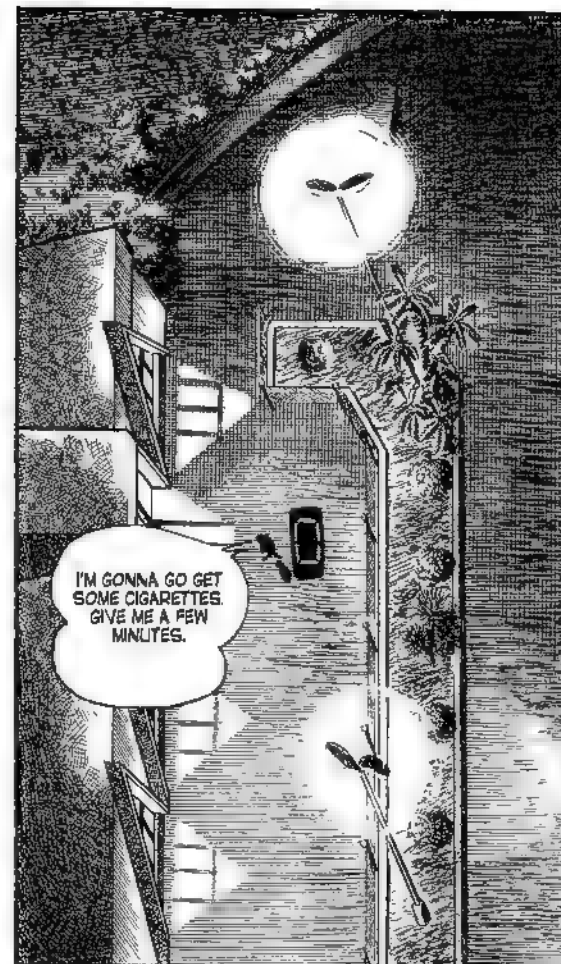
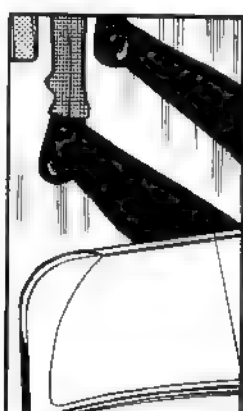
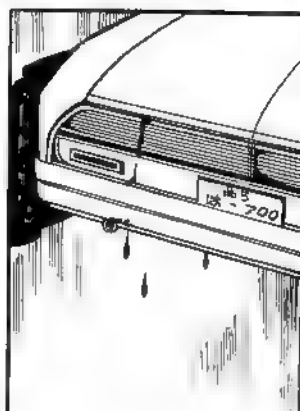
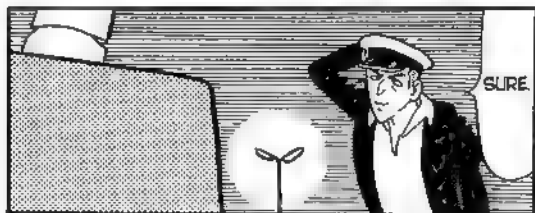


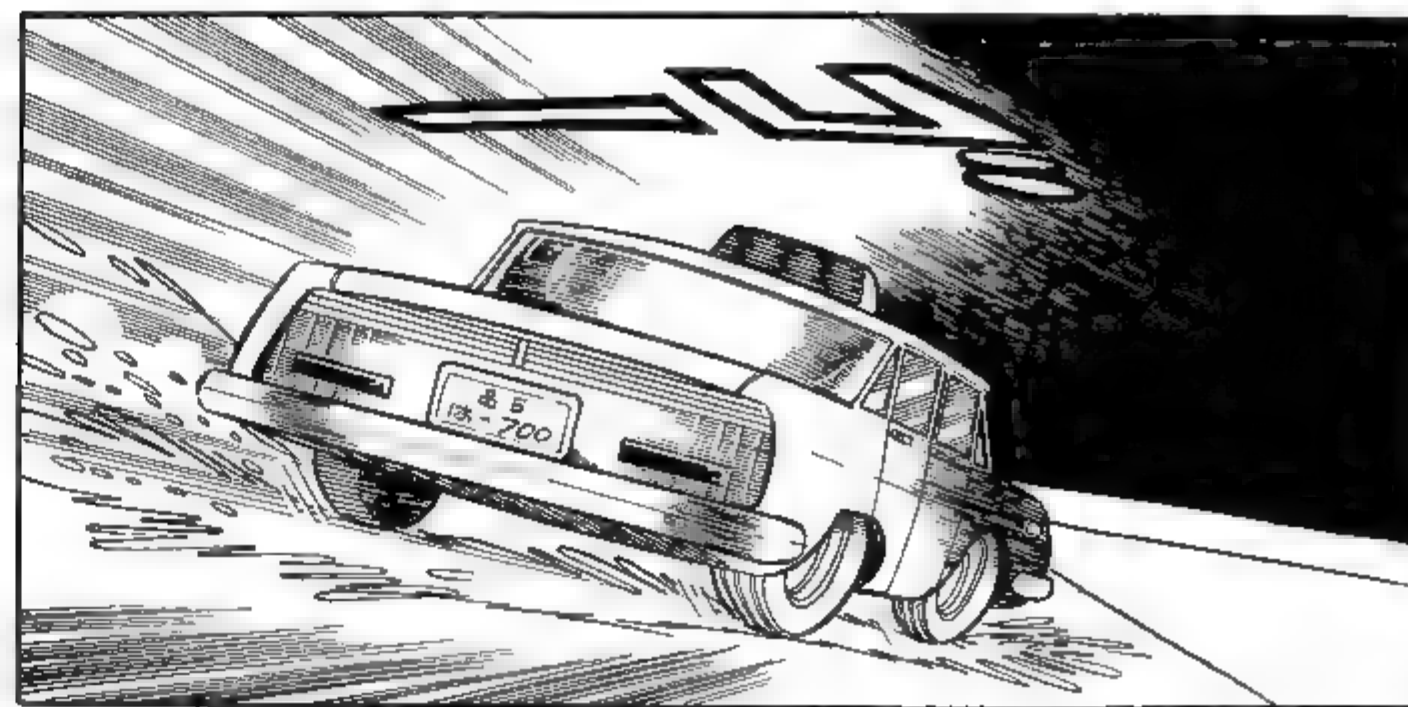
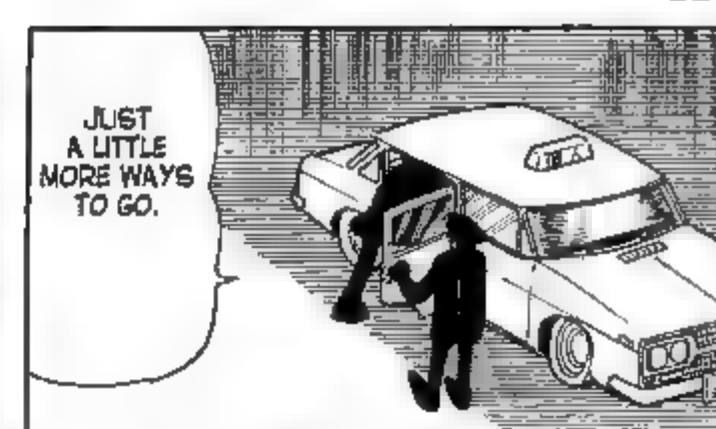
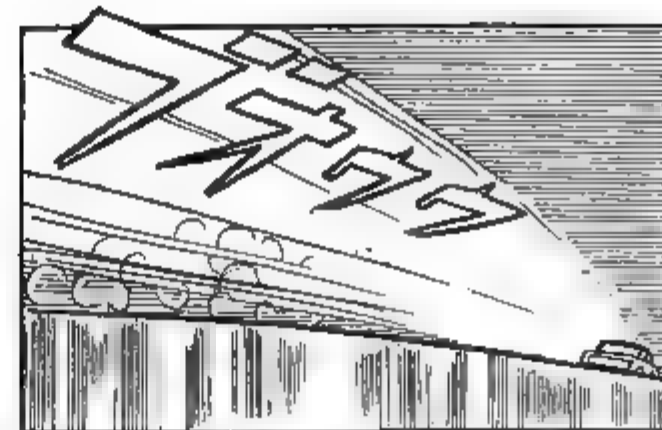
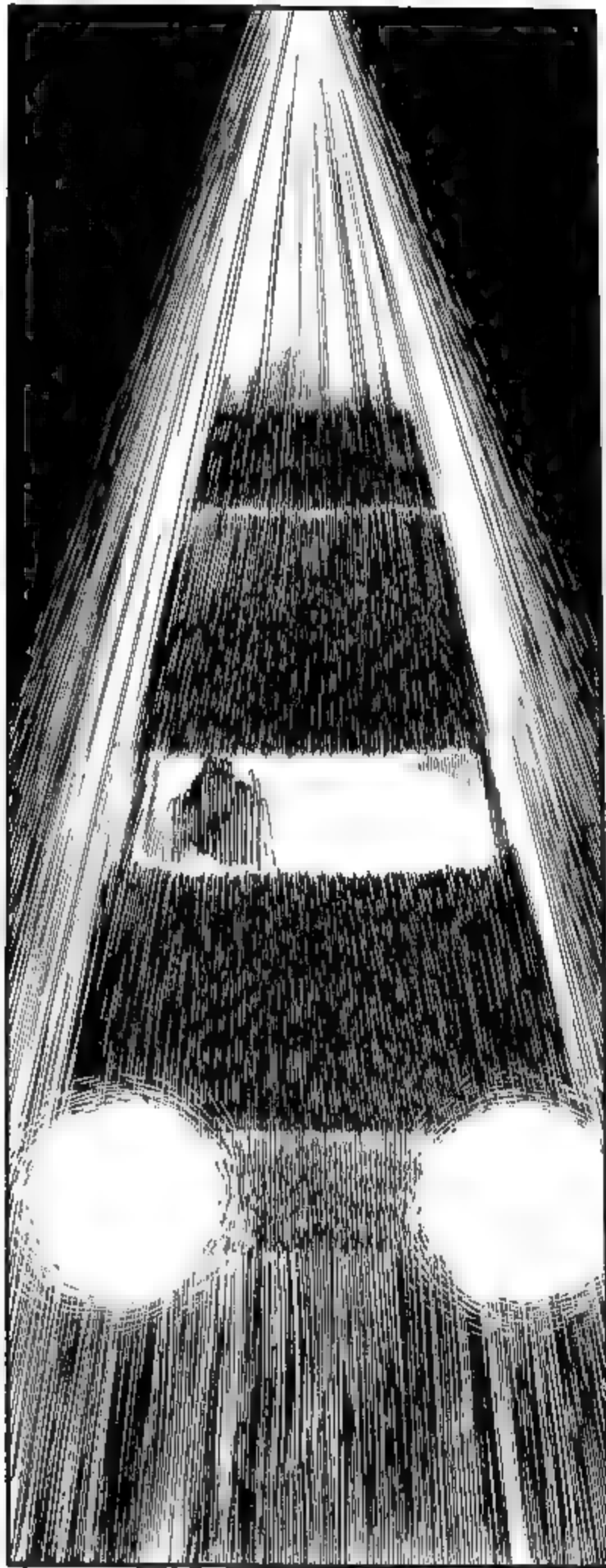
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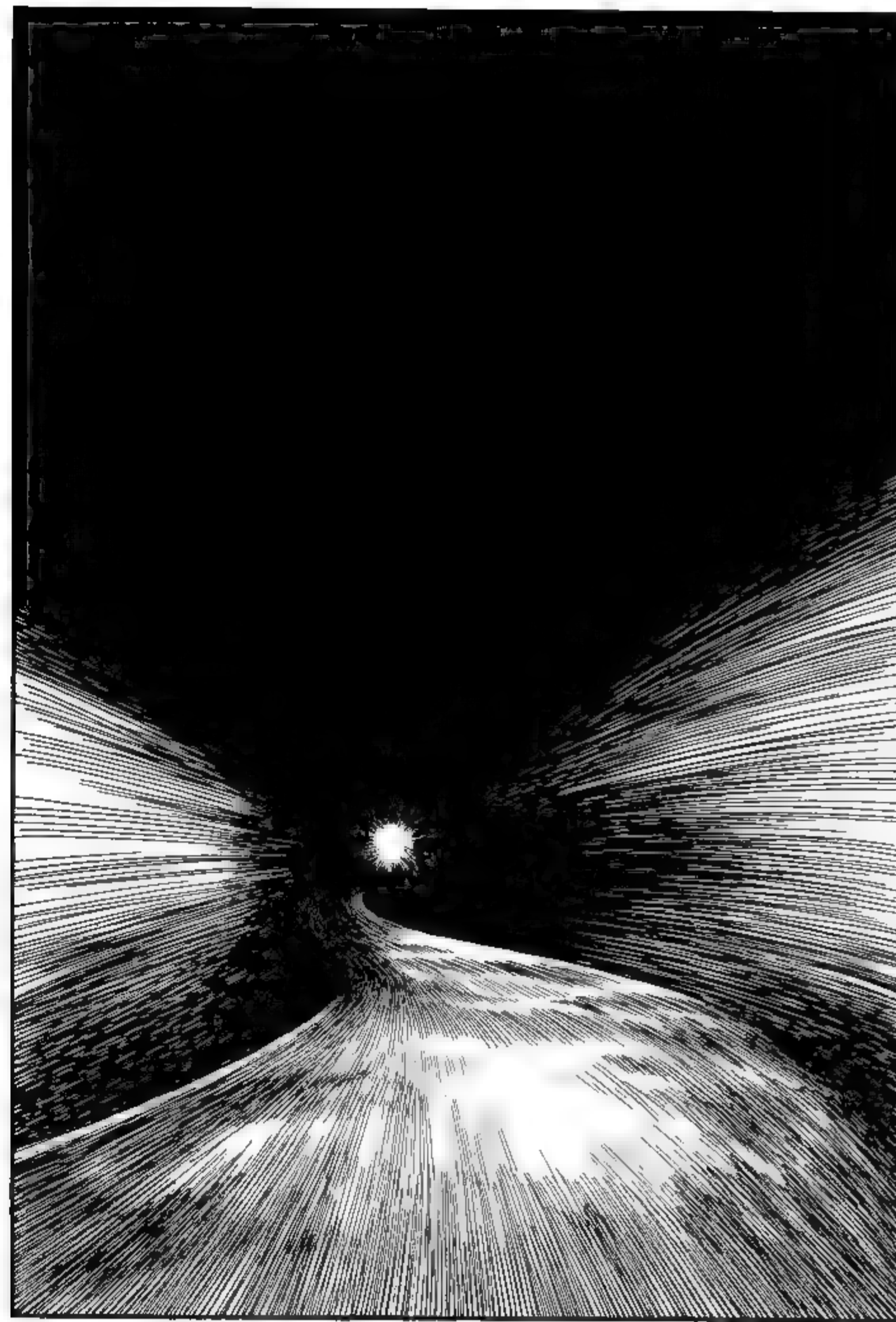




THEN AT LEAST
LET ME HOLD
IT FOR YOU.







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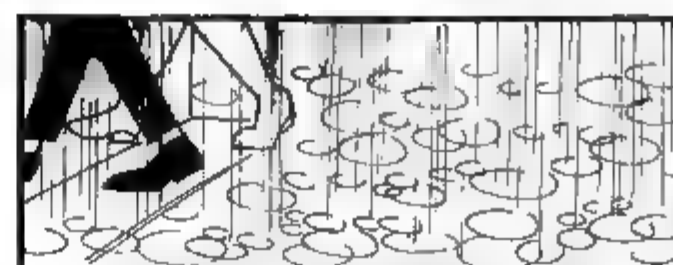
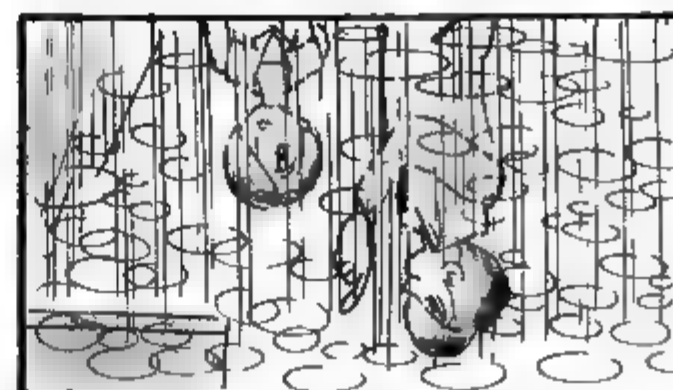
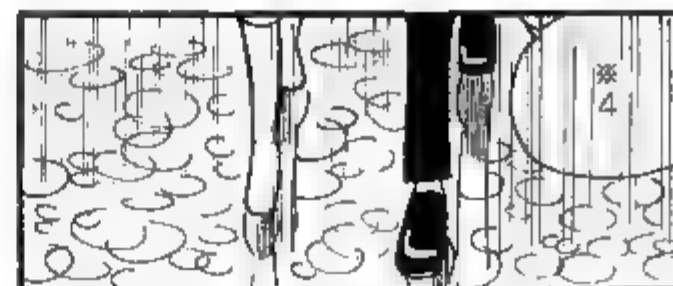
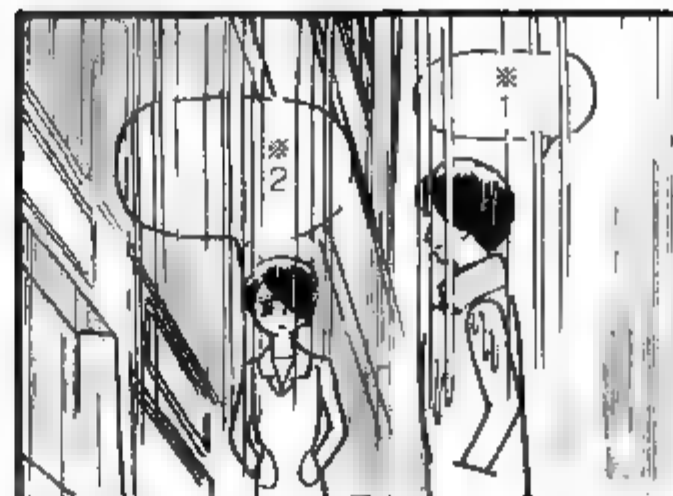
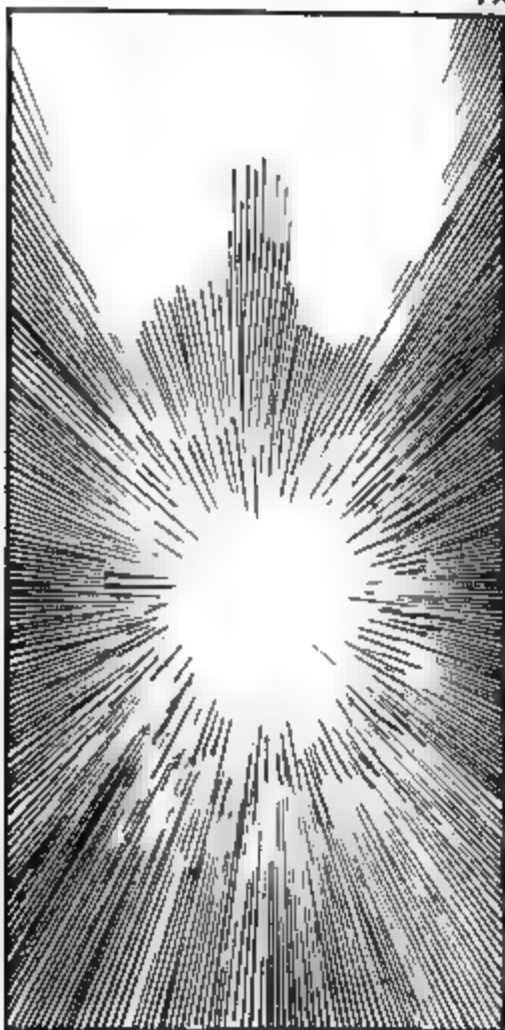
SACK (FUKURO)



*FRENCH PAINTER, 1908-1999



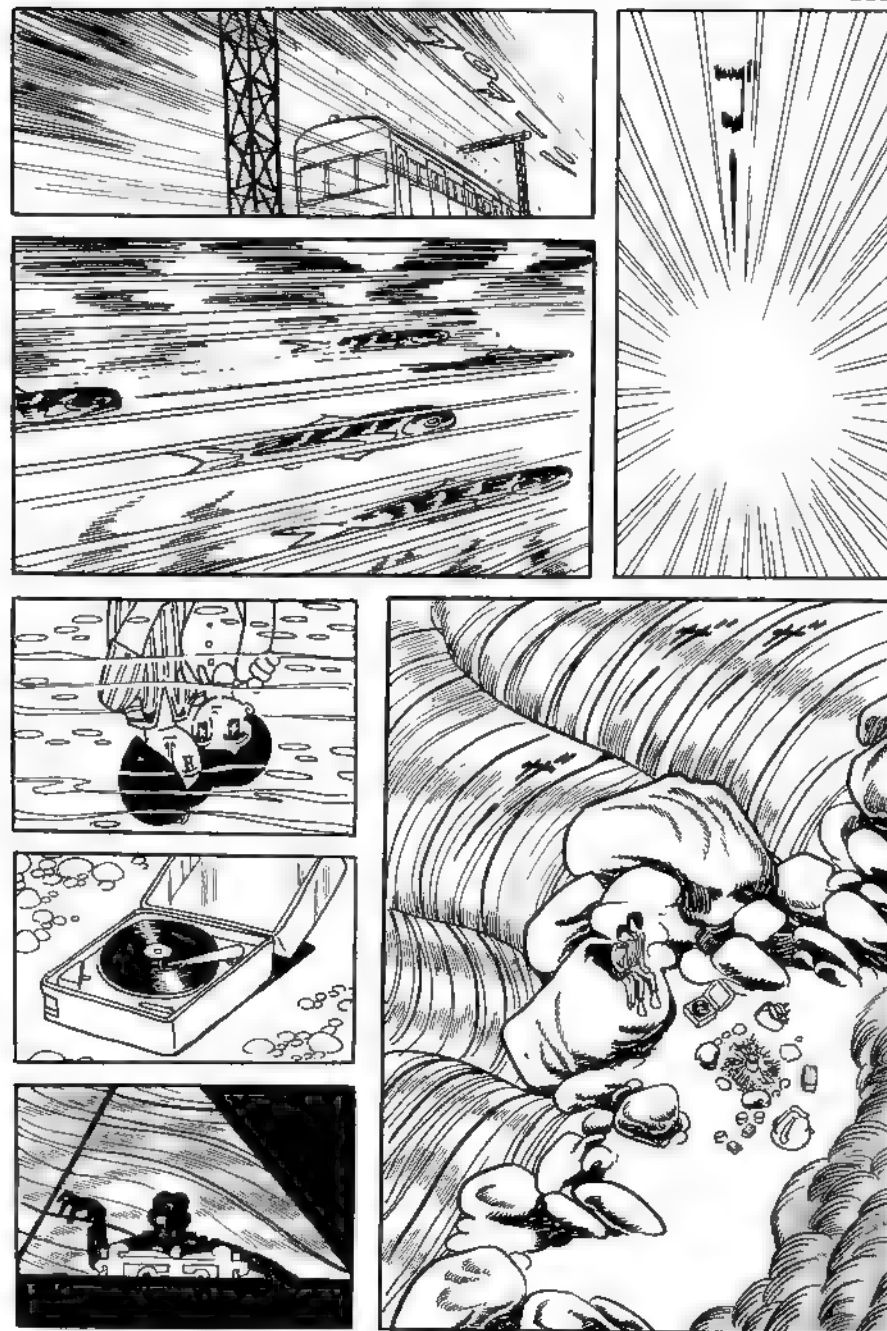
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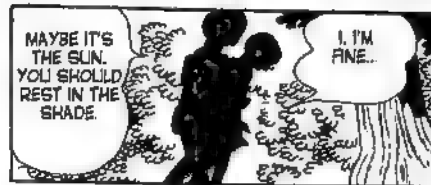
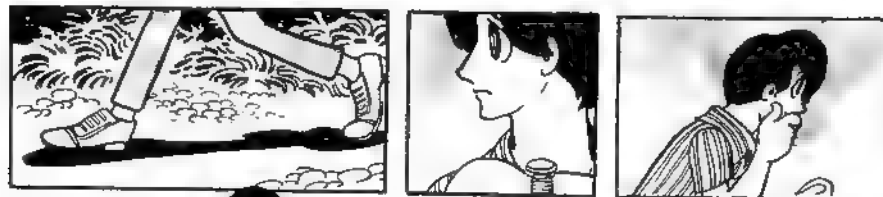
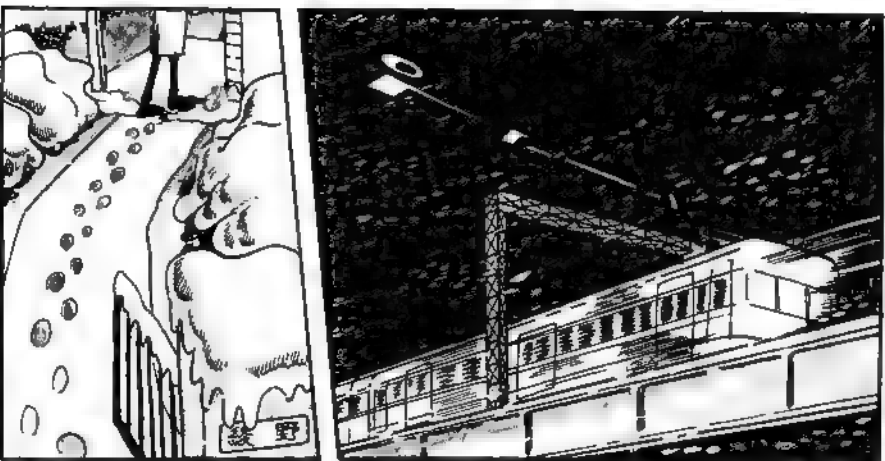
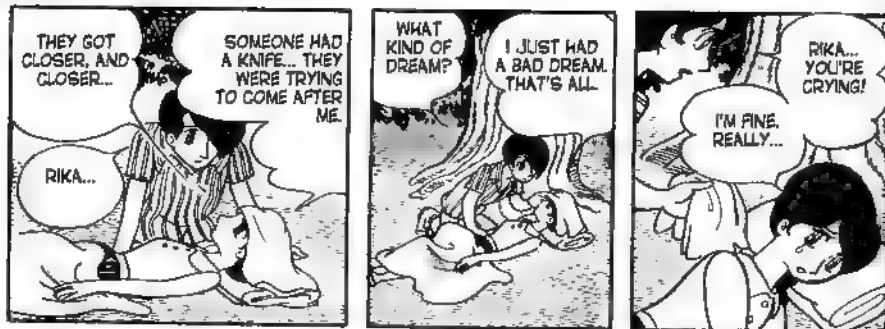


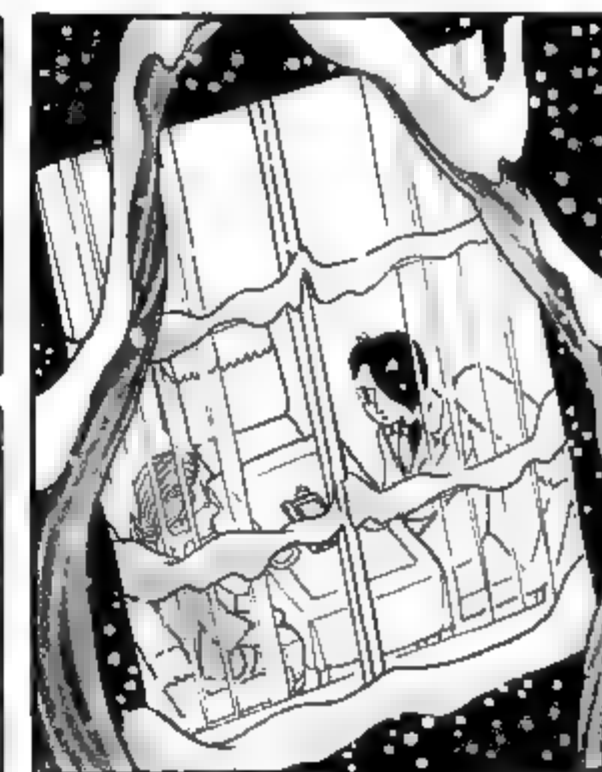
*CONVERSATION MUFFLED BY RAIN

4 IT'S ALWAYS PRETTY EMPTY. WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO GET A SEAT.
3 I KNOW A GOOD PLACE WE COULD TAKE SHELTER.
2 IT WASN'T RAINING THIS MORNING.
1 NO UMBRELLA? ME TOO.



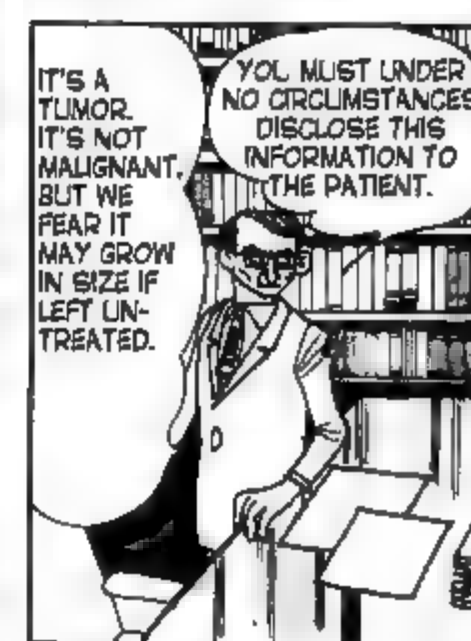
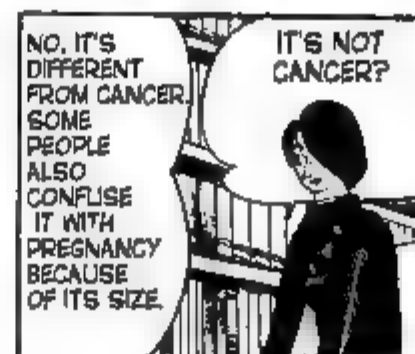
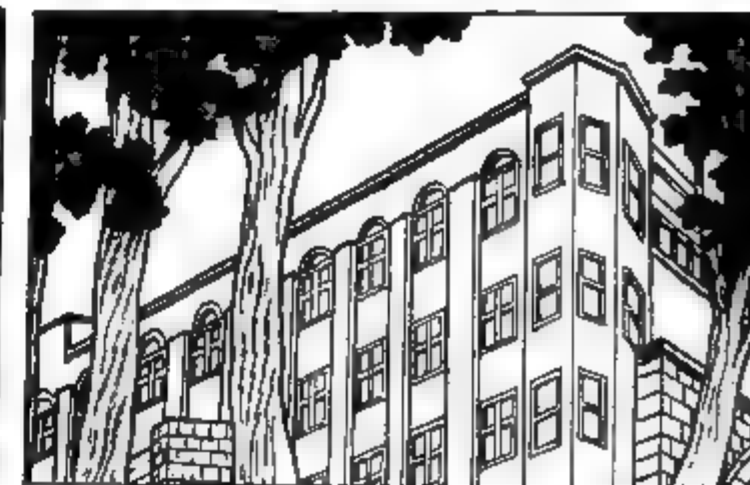


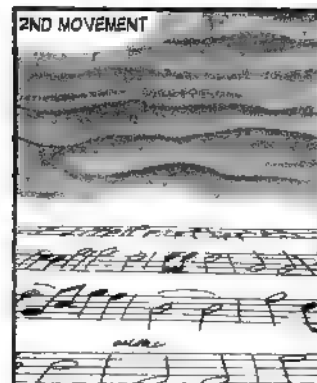
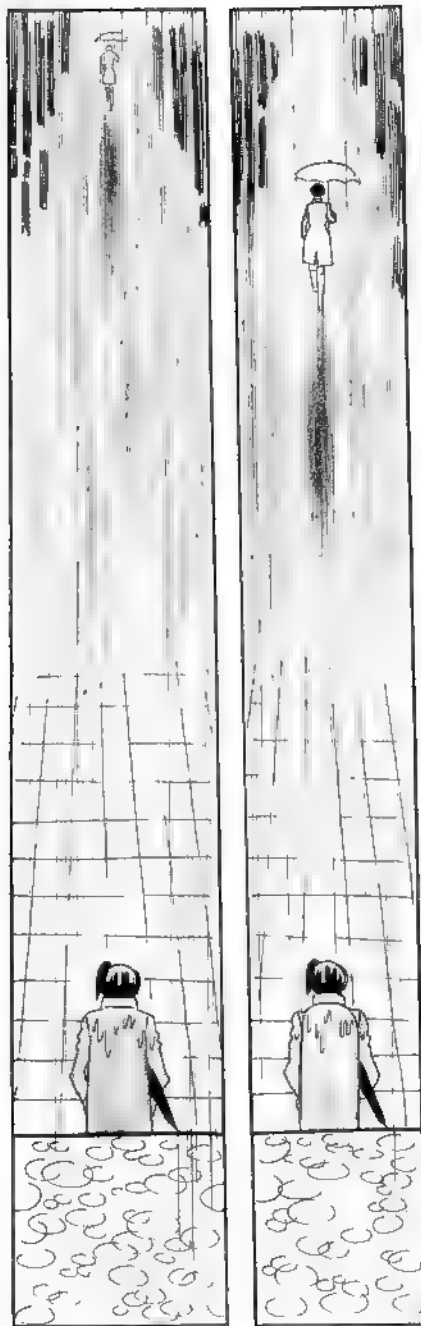


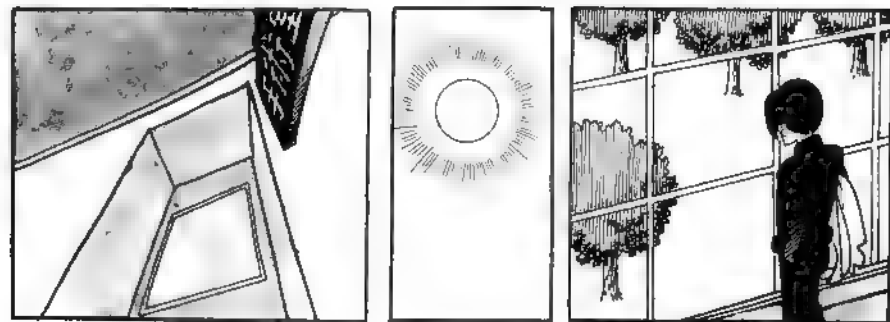
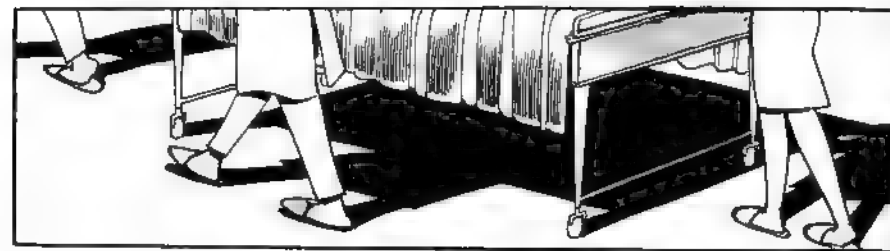
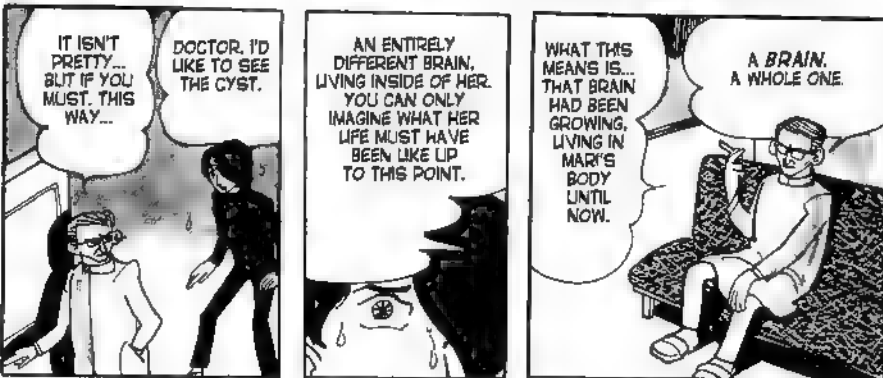
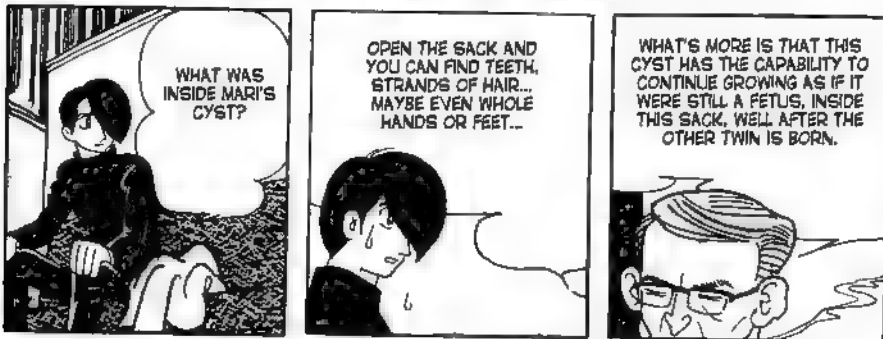
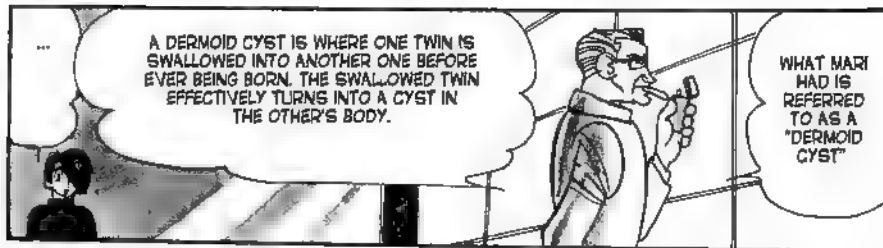


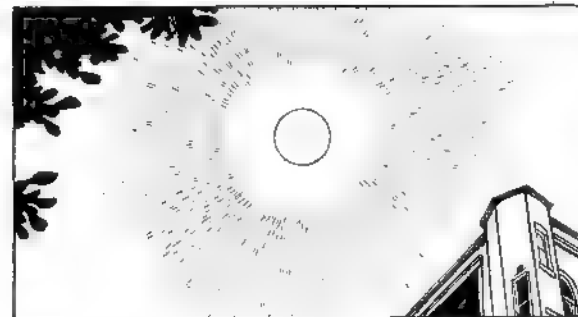


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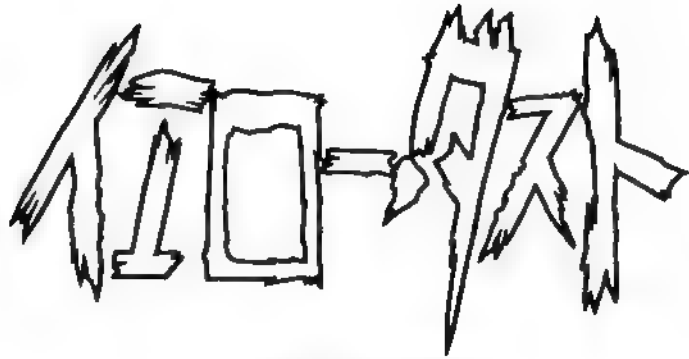








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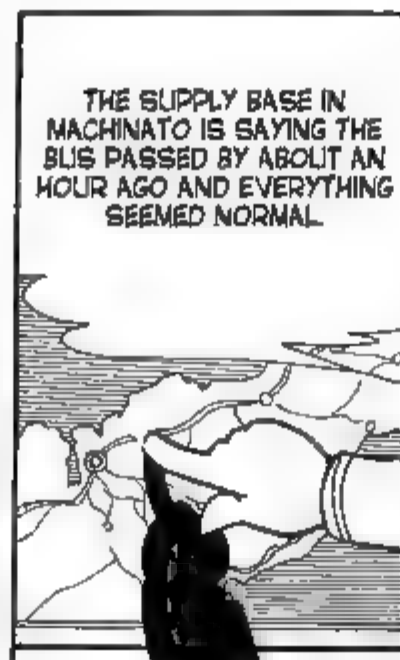


GET ME IN
A CAR. I'M
GOING DOWN
THERE TO
TALK TO
THEM.

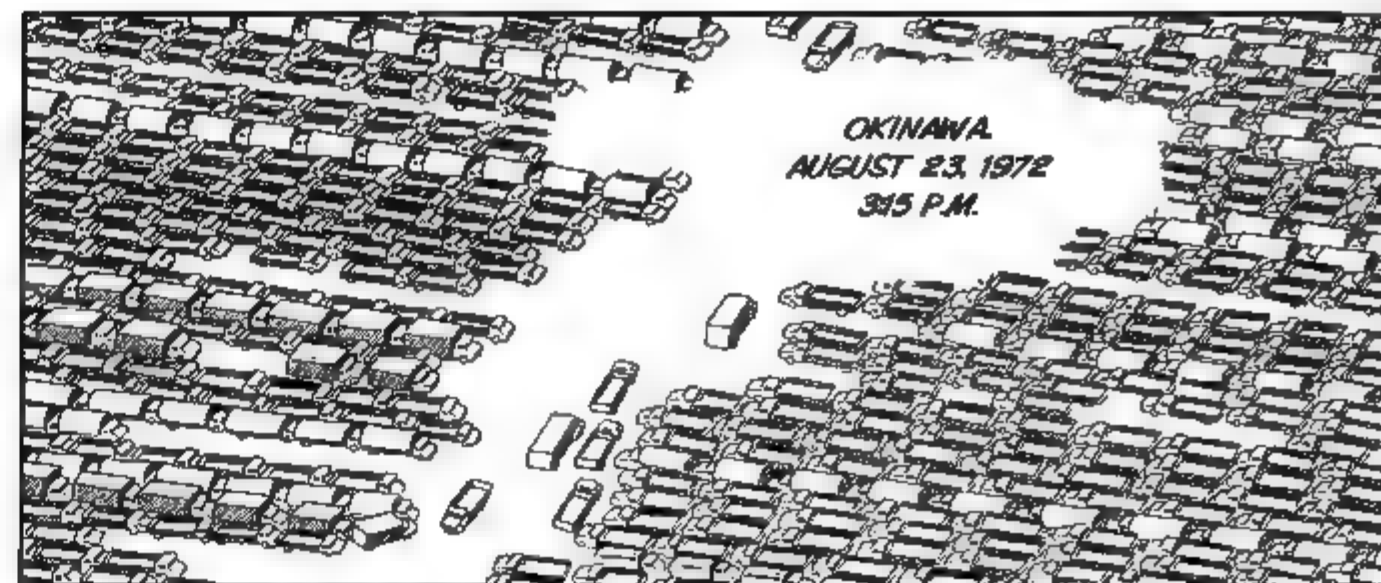
WHAT'S
OUR FIRST
MOVE?

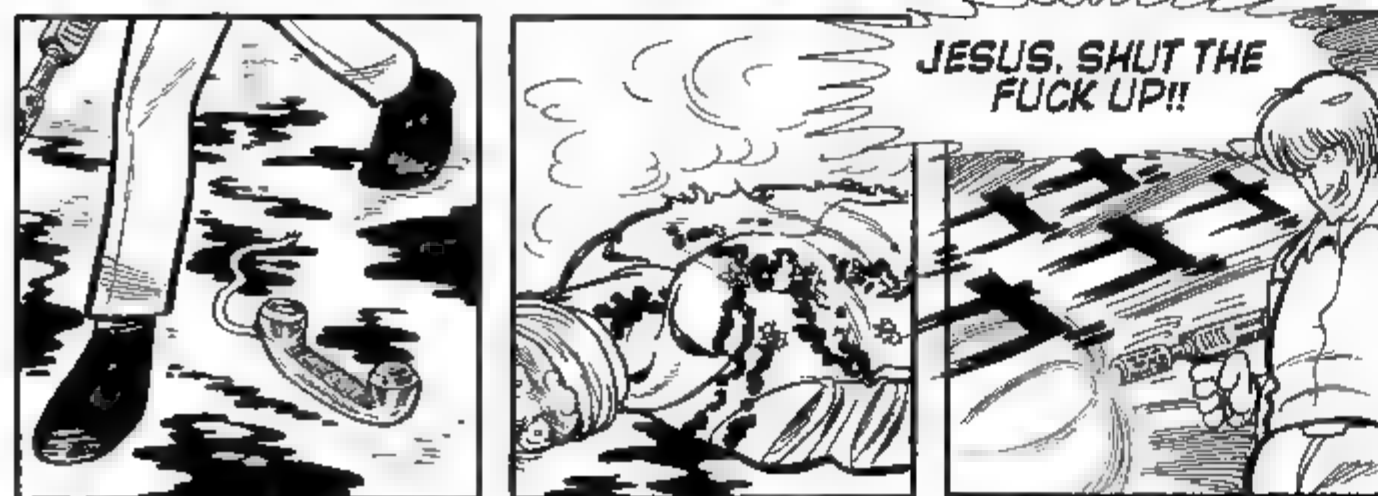
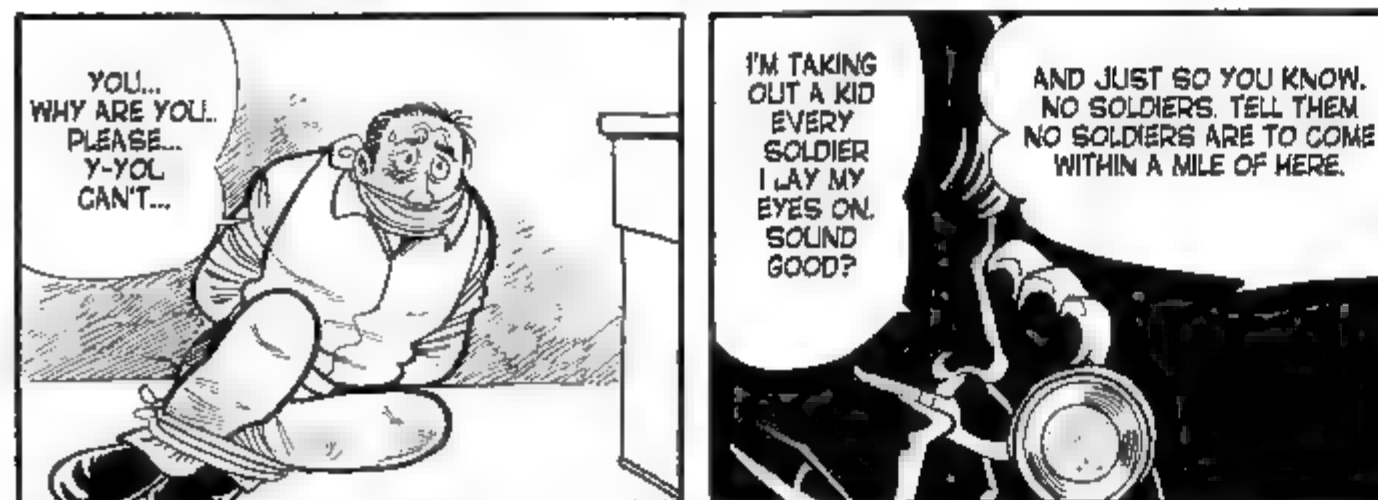


THEN... WE CAN
ASSUME THE
BUS WAS
ATTACKED
BETWEEN
URAZOE
AND NAHA.

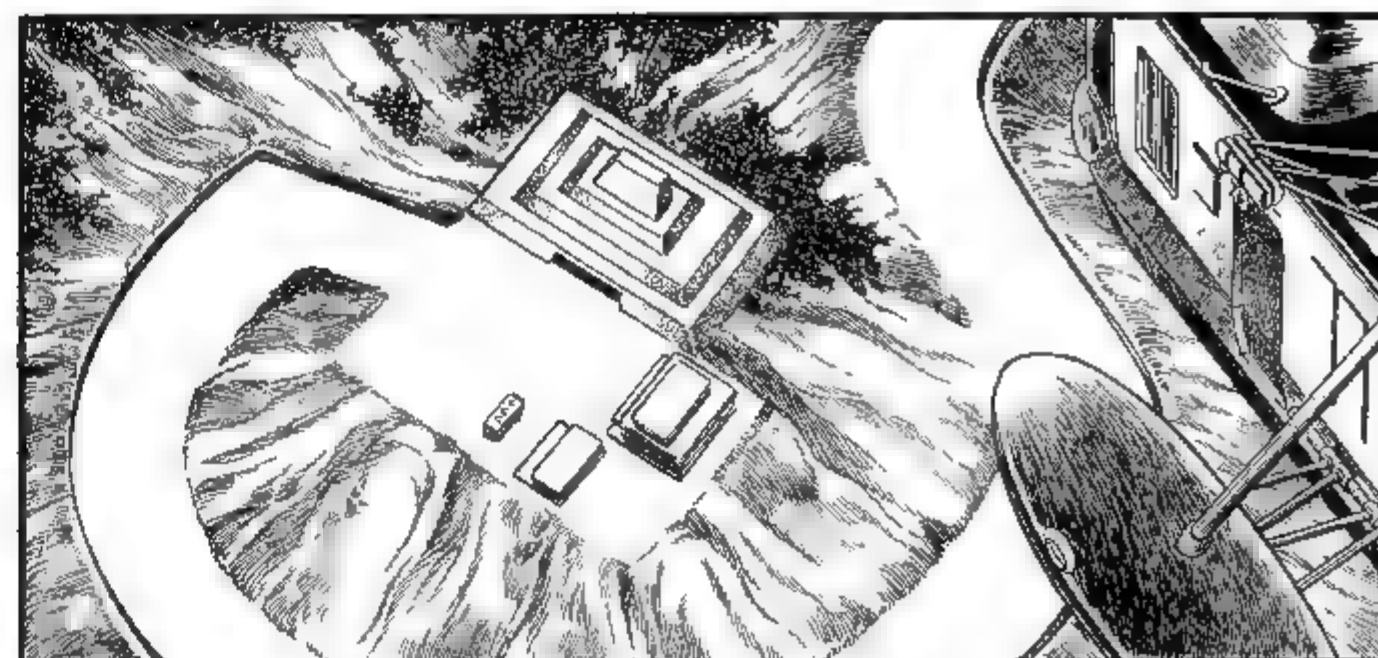


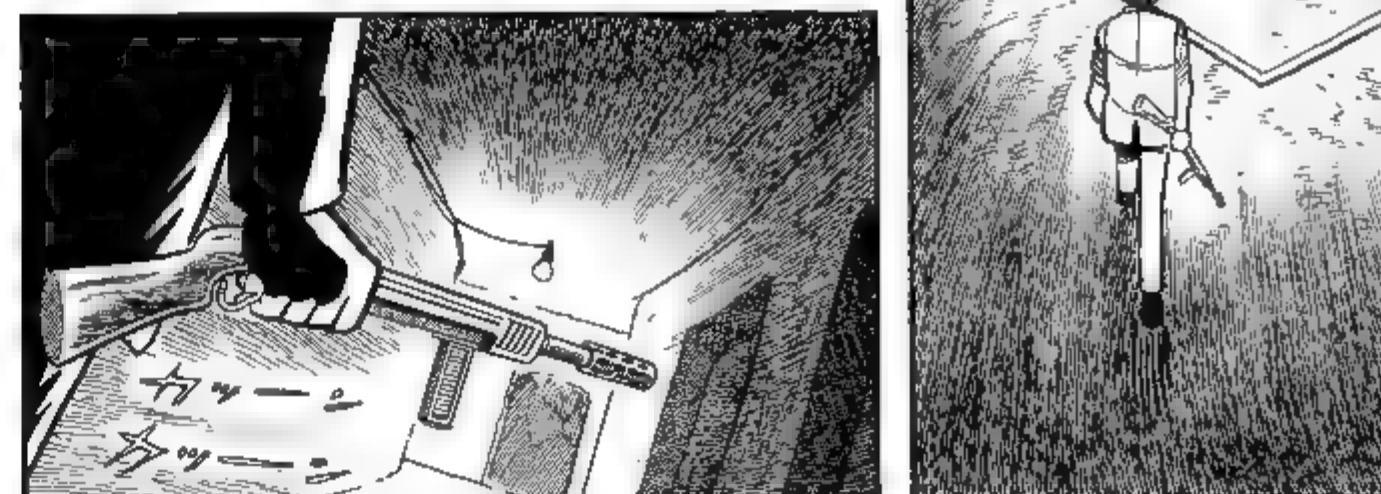
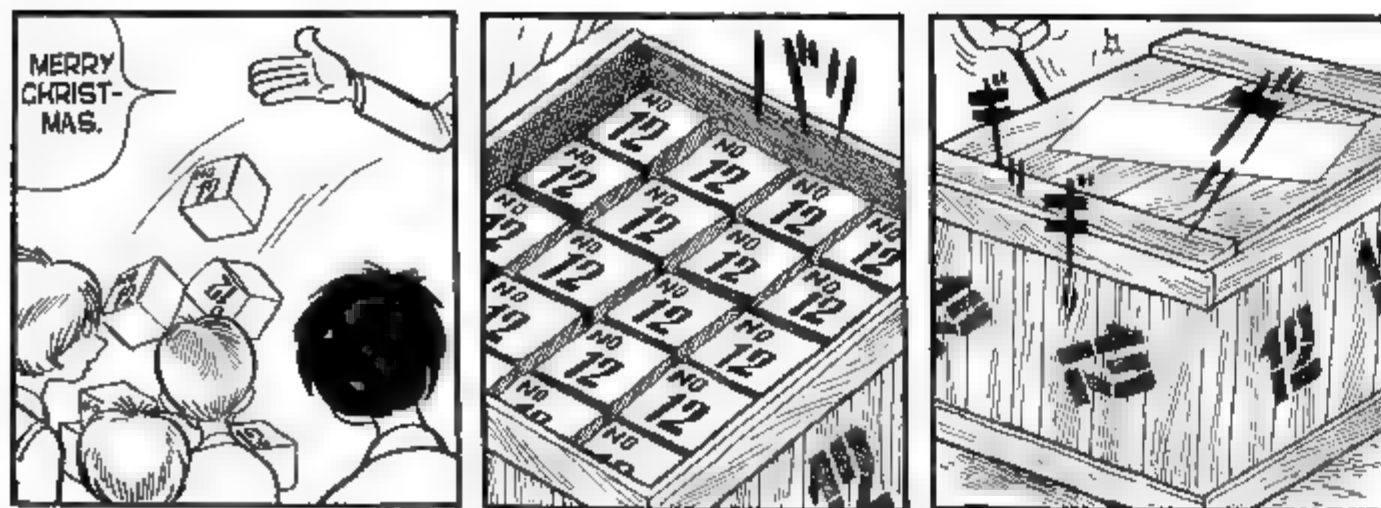
THE SUPPLY BASE IN
MACHINATO IS SAYING THE
BUS PASSED BY ABOUT AN
HOUR AGO AND EVERYTHING
SEEMED NORMAL.





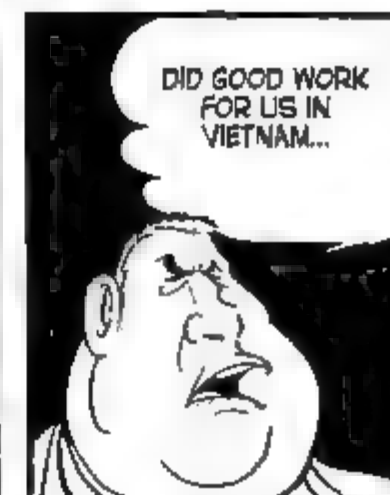
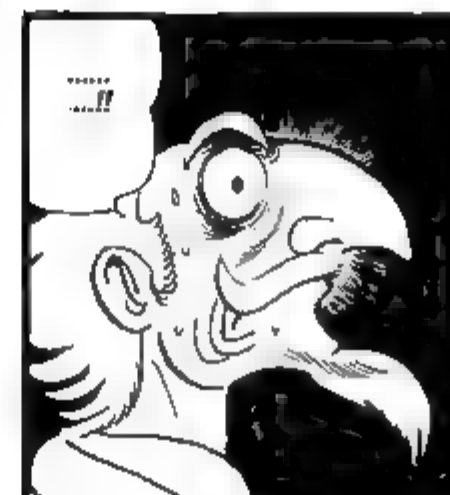
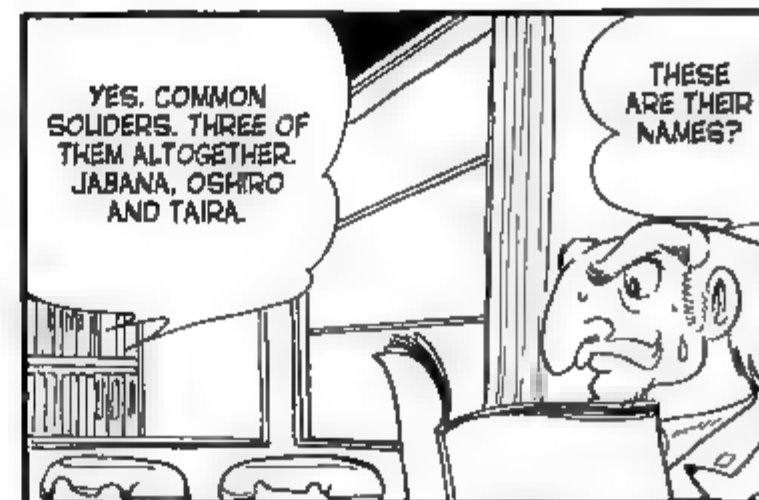
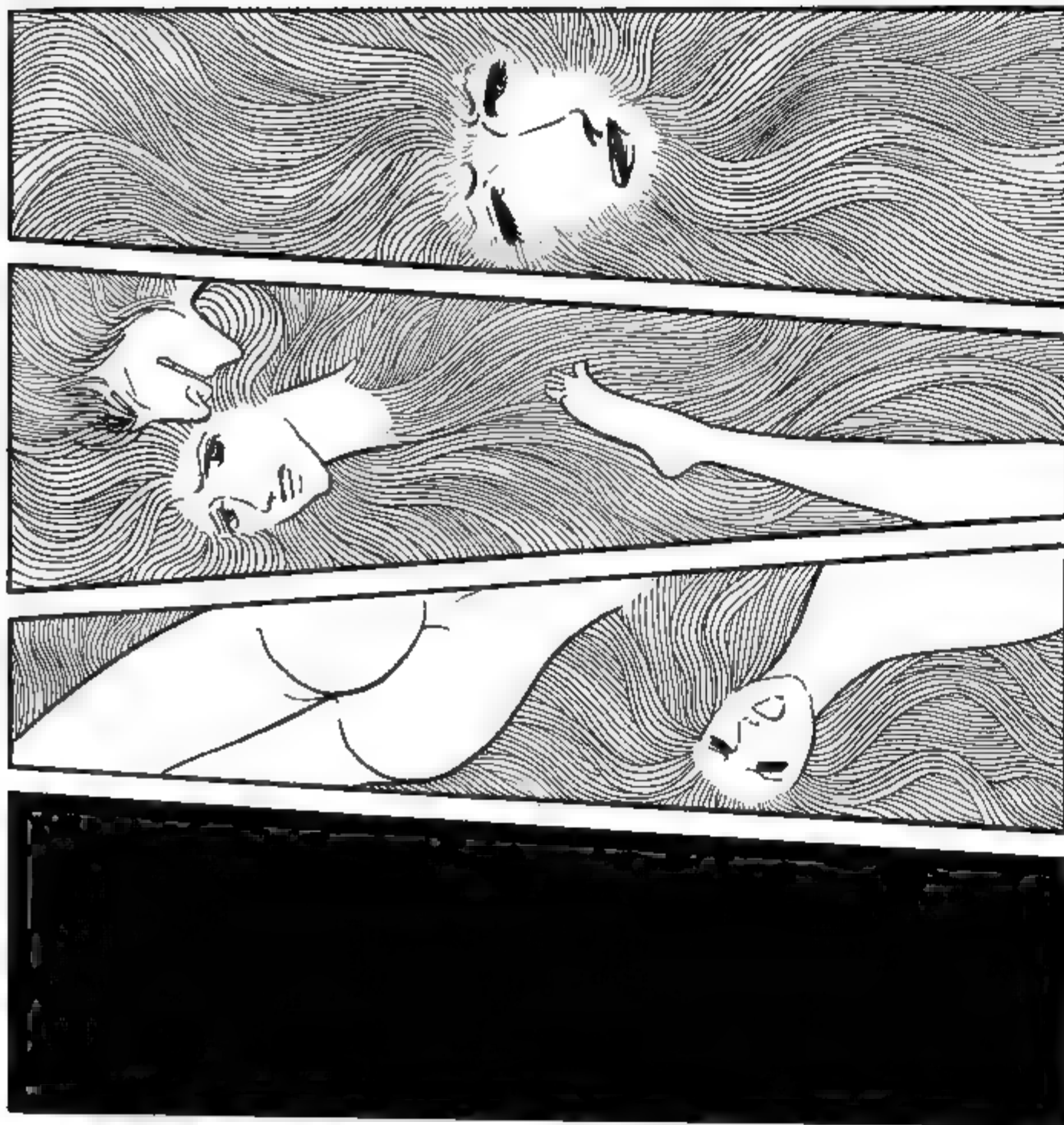
TODAY AT APPROXIMATELY 3:00 P.M., A BUS WAS ATTACKED ON ITS WAY FROM NAHA TO URAZOE. ON BOARD THE BUS WERE 23 STUDENTS FROM "CAMP SEALS", A LOCAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FOR THE CHILDREN OF AMERICAN MILITARY PERSONNEL STATIONED HERE IN OKINAWA. THE STUDENTS WERE TAKEN OFF THE BUS AND INTO A STRATEGIC BASE ONCE USED BY THE JAPANESE NAVY. THERE THEY ARE NOW BEING HELD HOSTAGE.





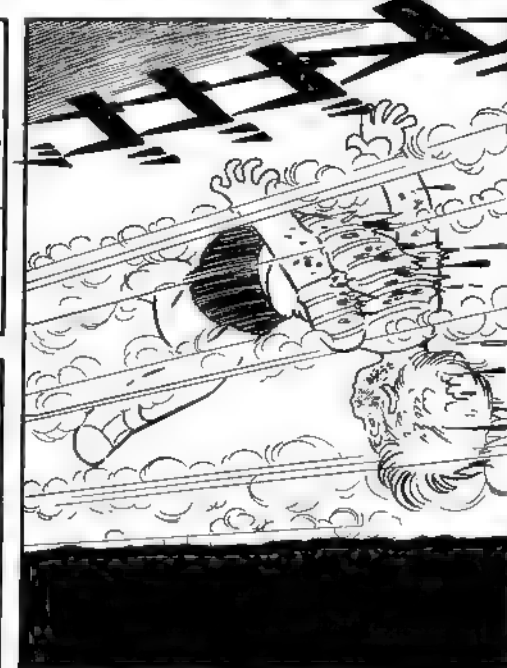
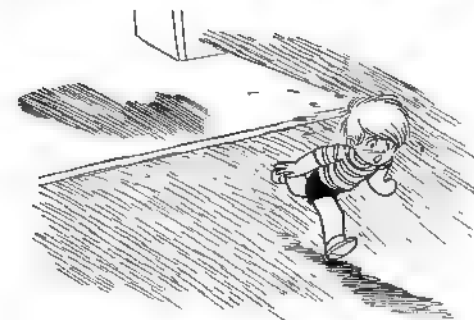
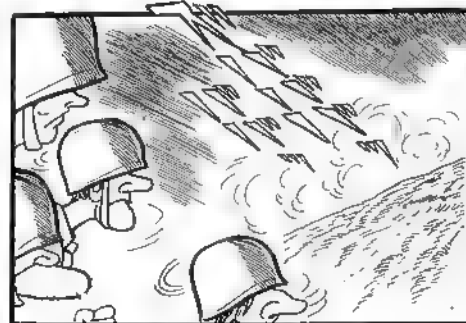
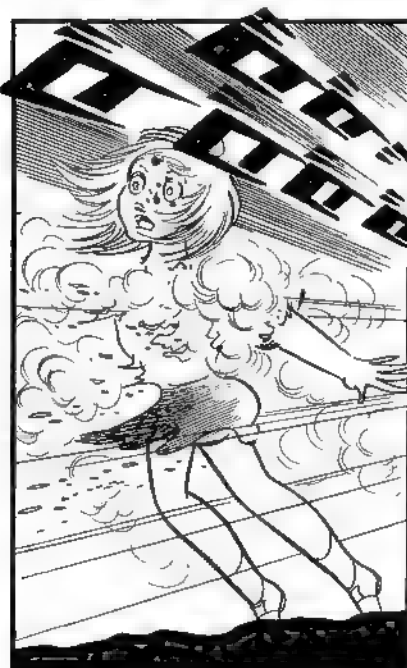
"THE ENEMY FINDS THEIR SHELTER. 'COME ON, DETEKU! (COME OUT)' THEY HEAR FROM THE OUTSIDE. BUT THEY KNOW AMERICANS COULD NOT BE TRUSTED. INDESCRIBABLE TORTURE WOULD WAIT FOR THEM IF THEY OBEYED. SUICIDE WAS MUCH MORE ATTRACTIVE."

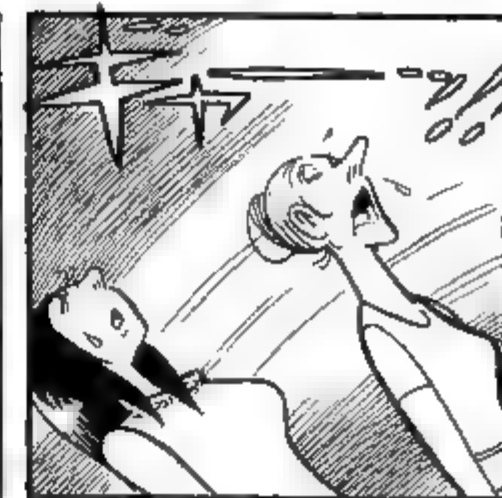
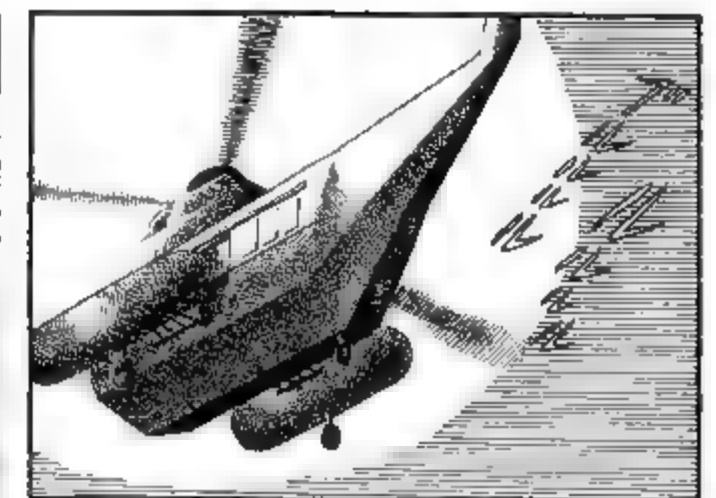
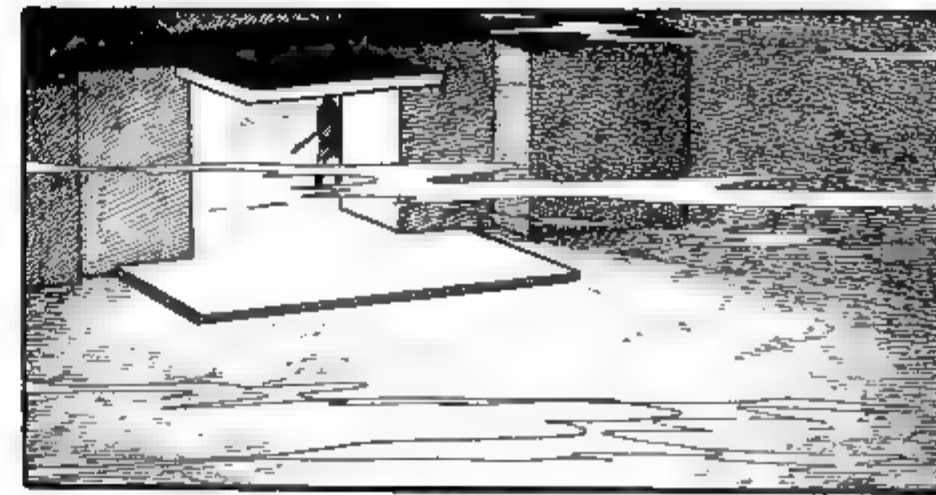
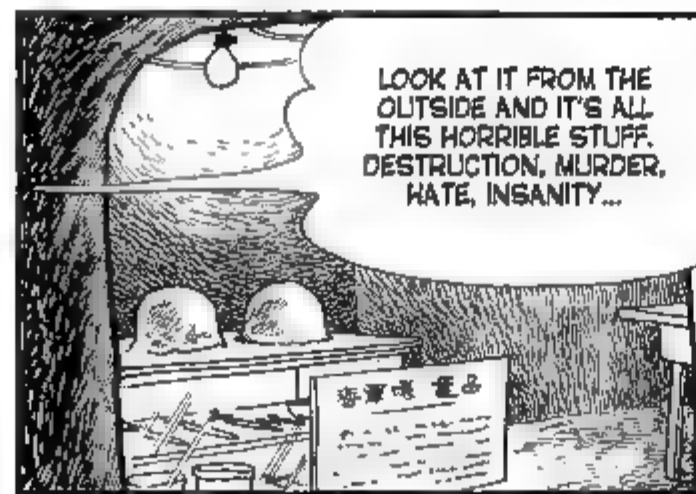
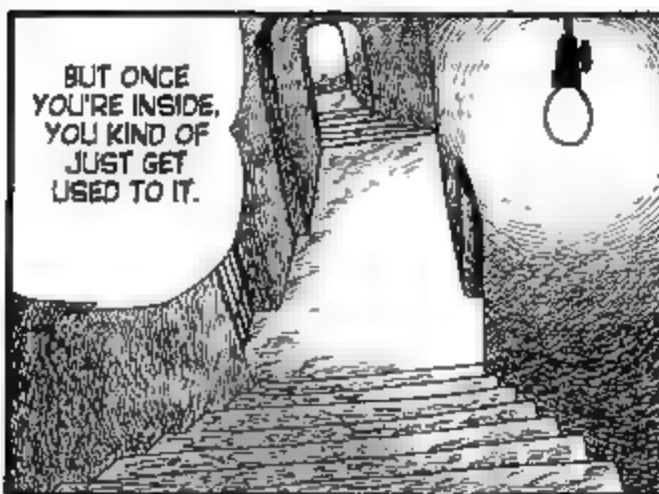
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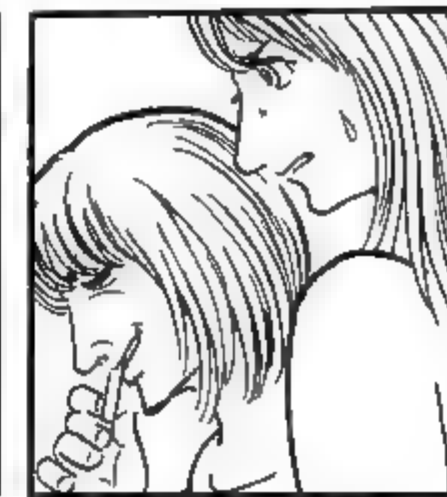
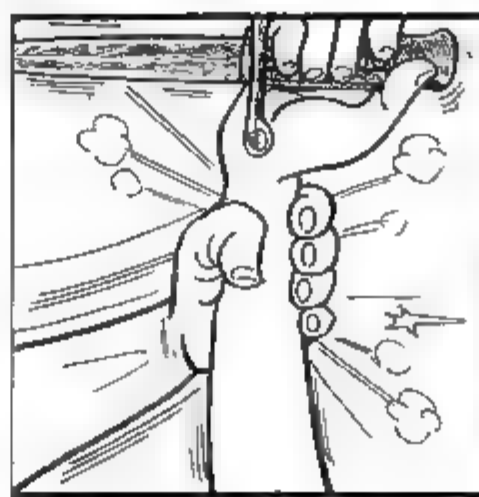
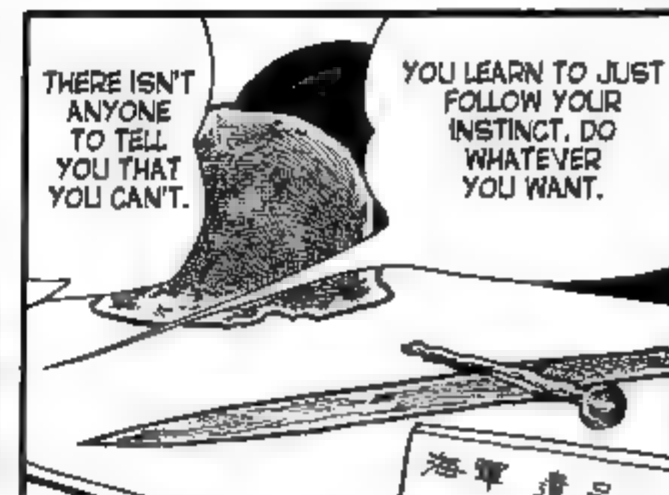
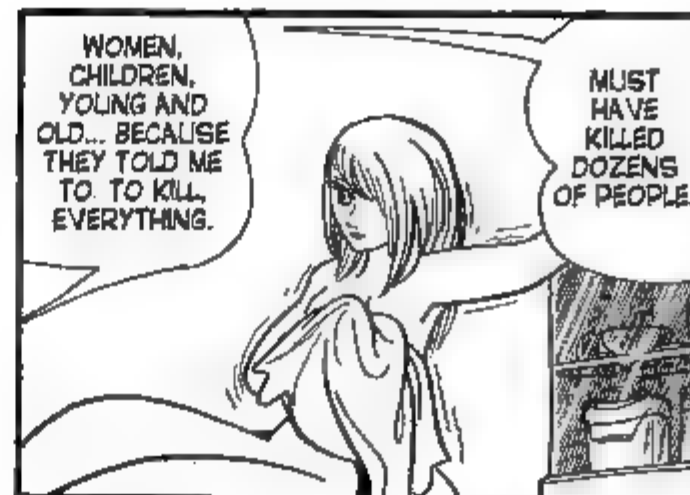
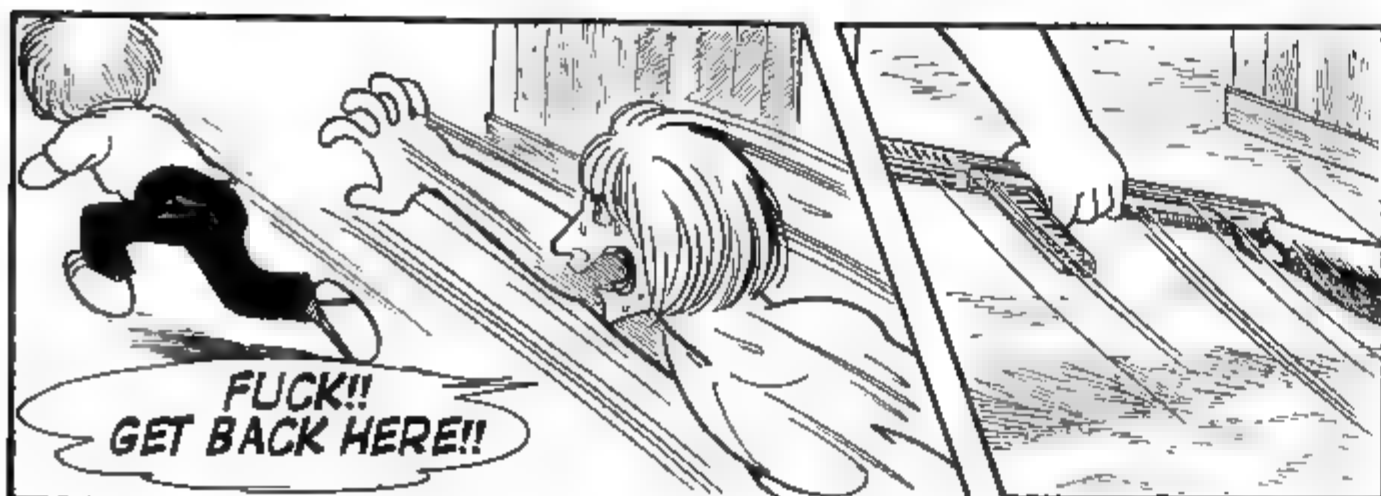
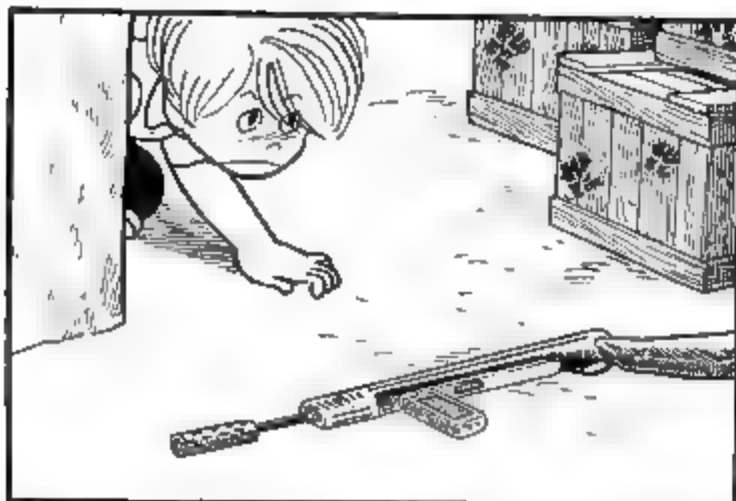
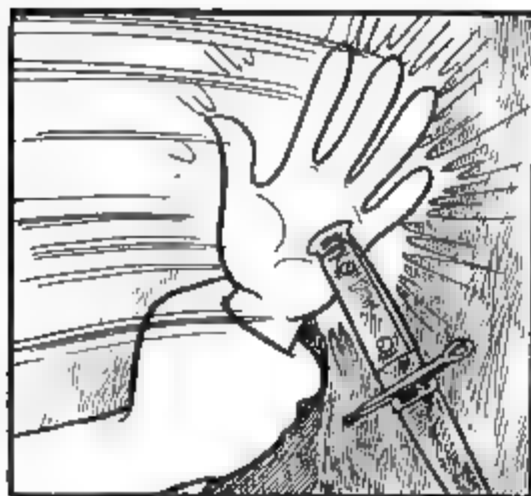


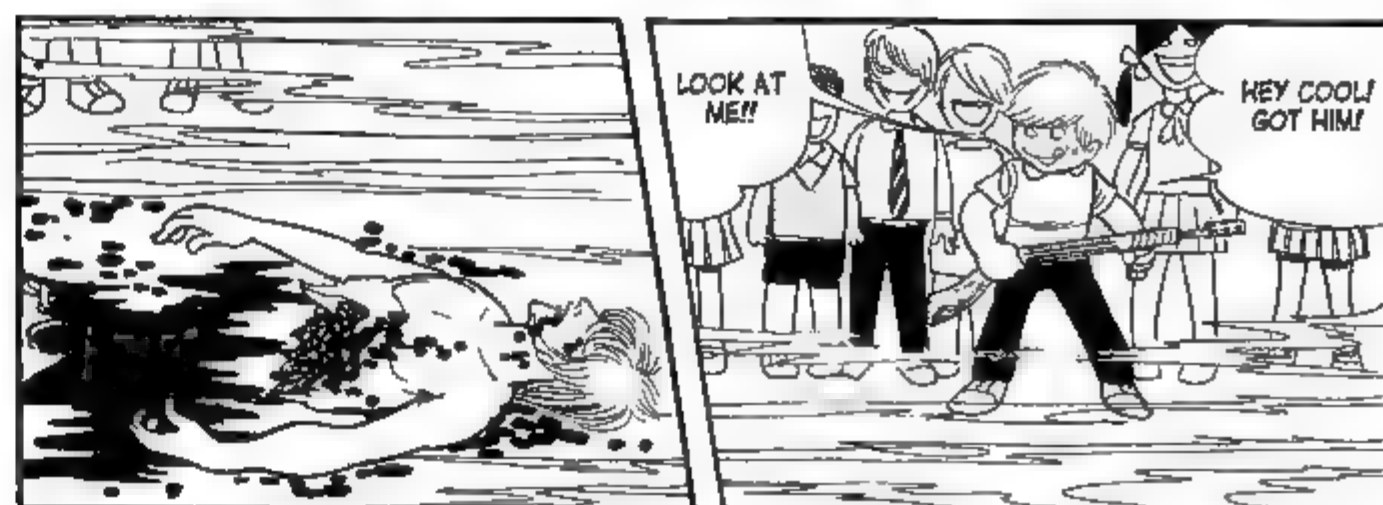
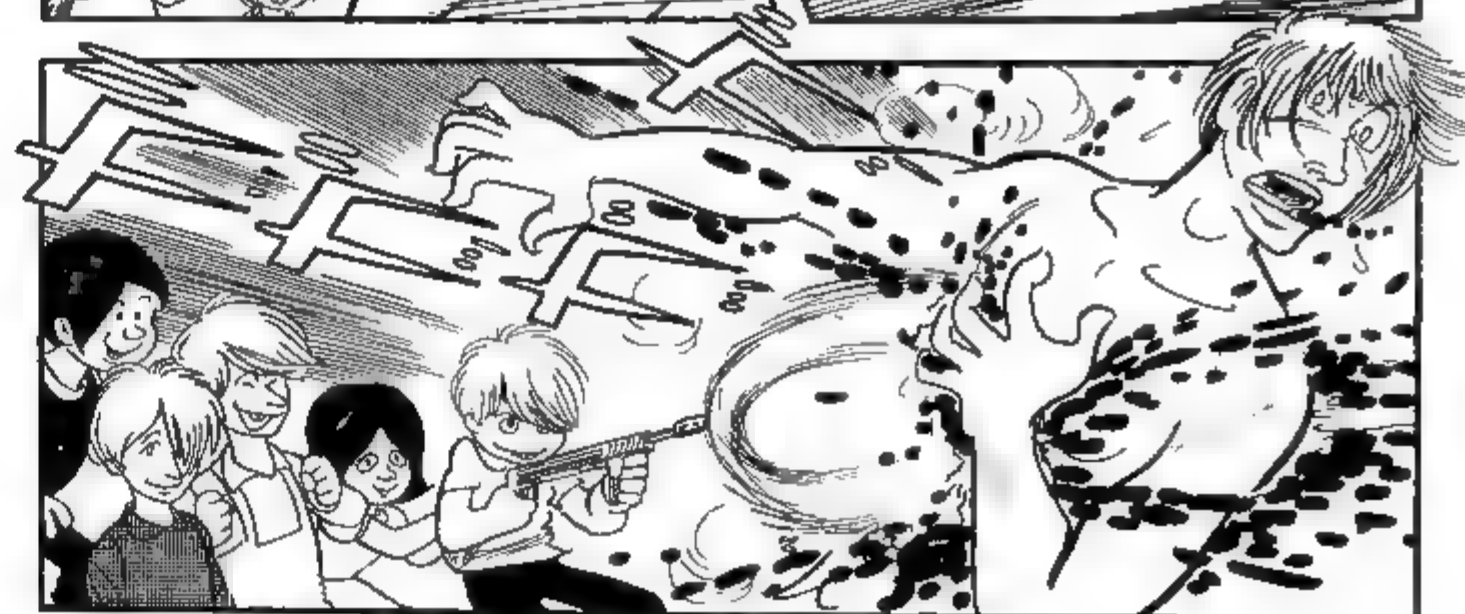
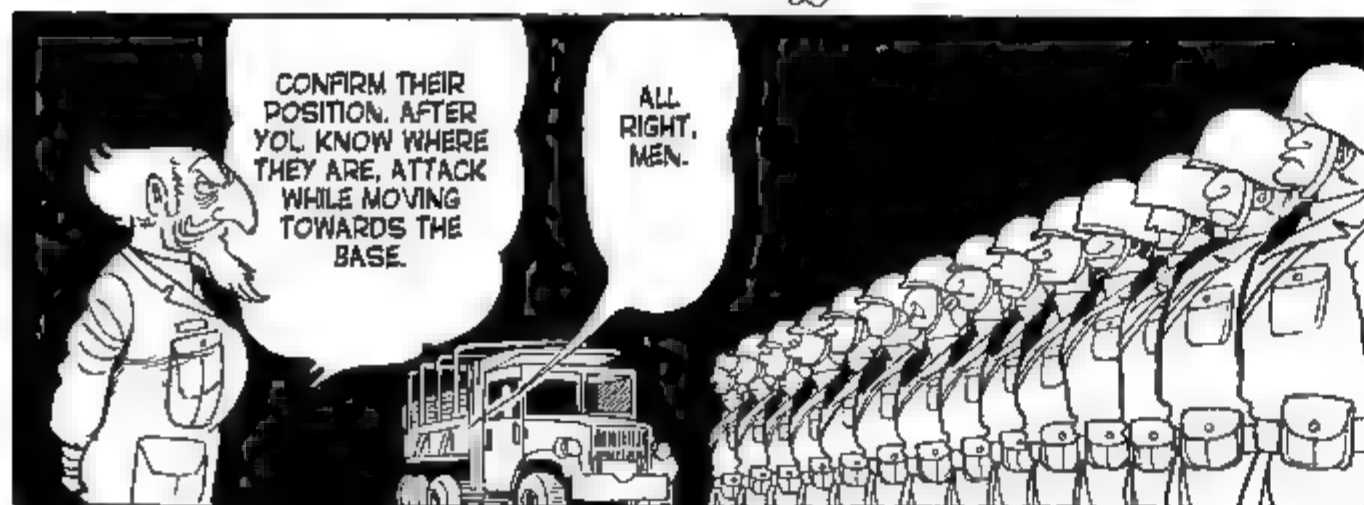
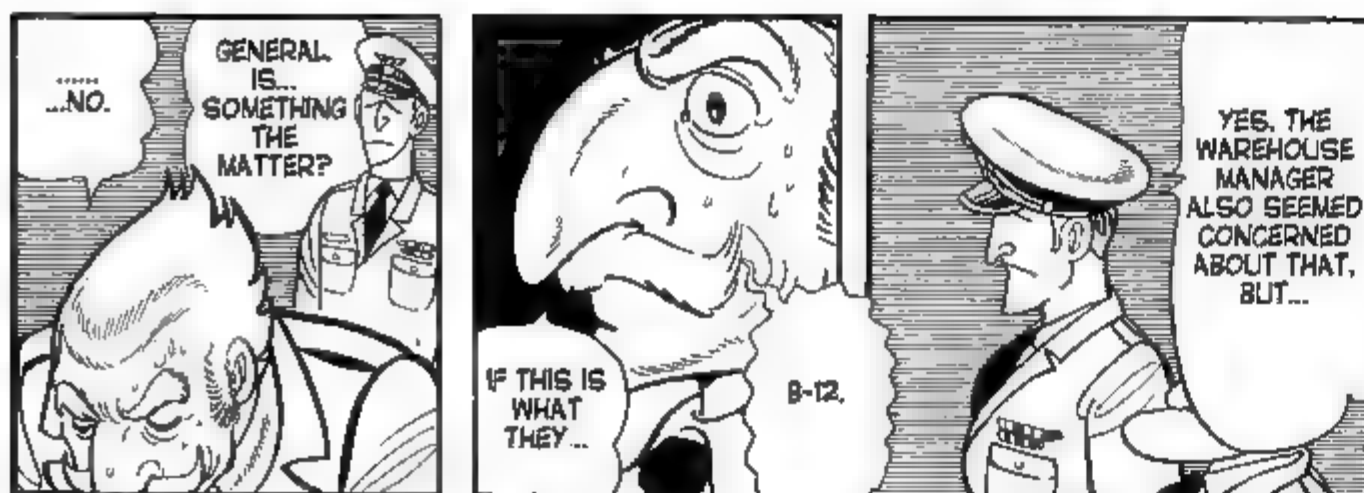


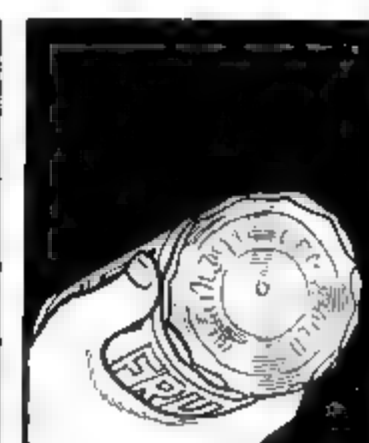
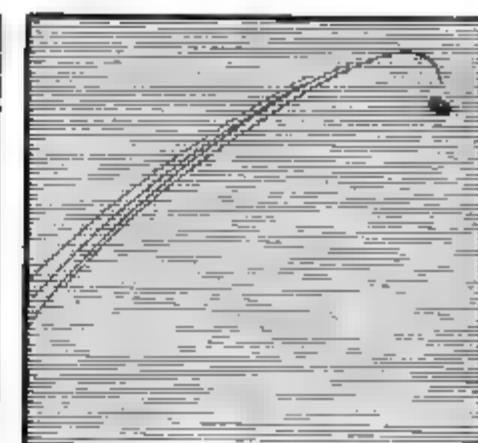
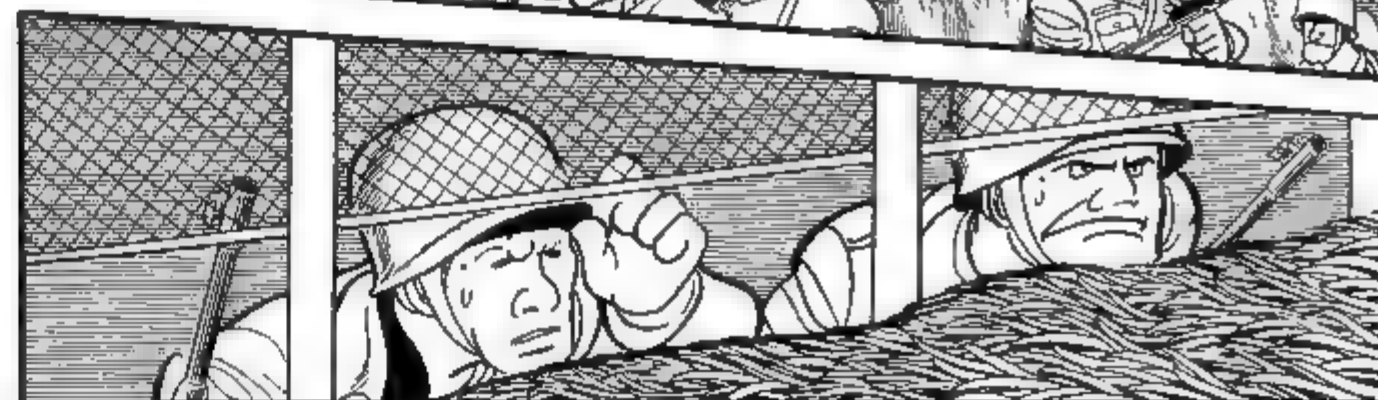
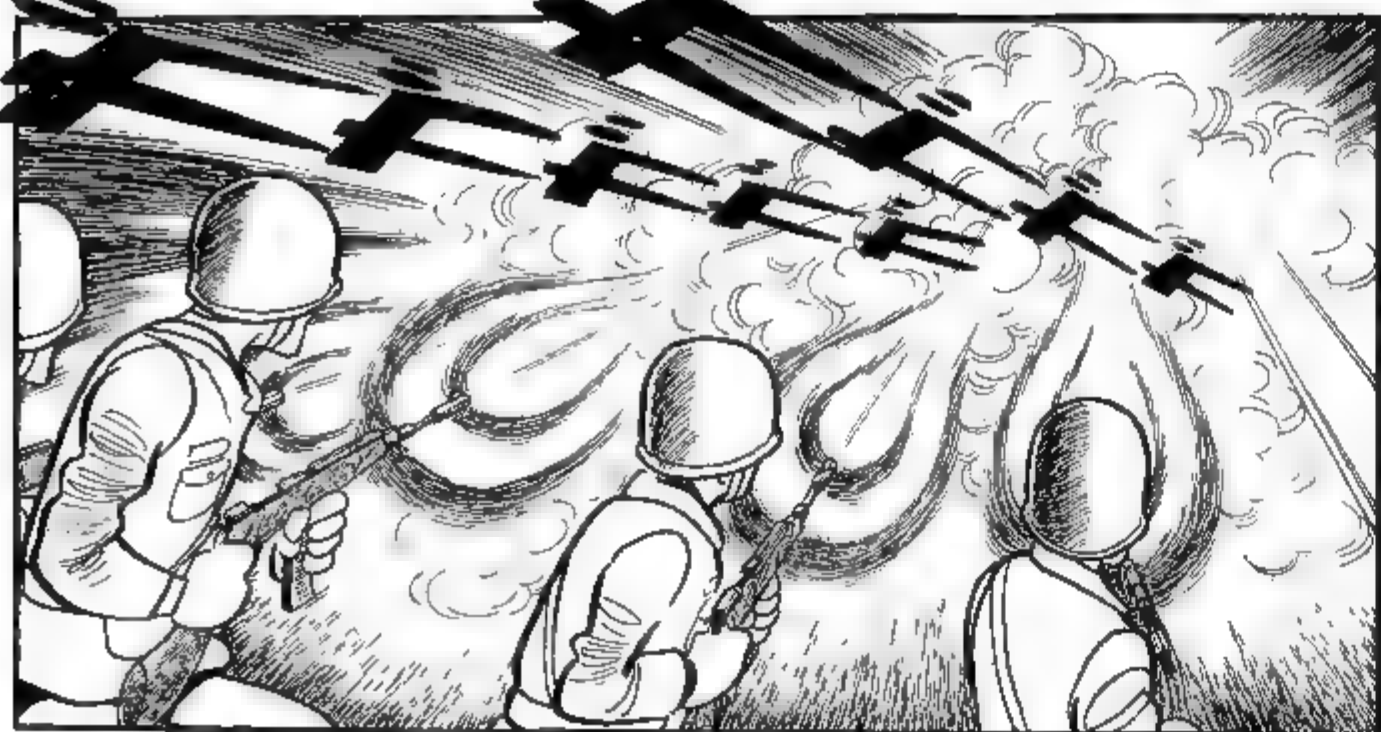
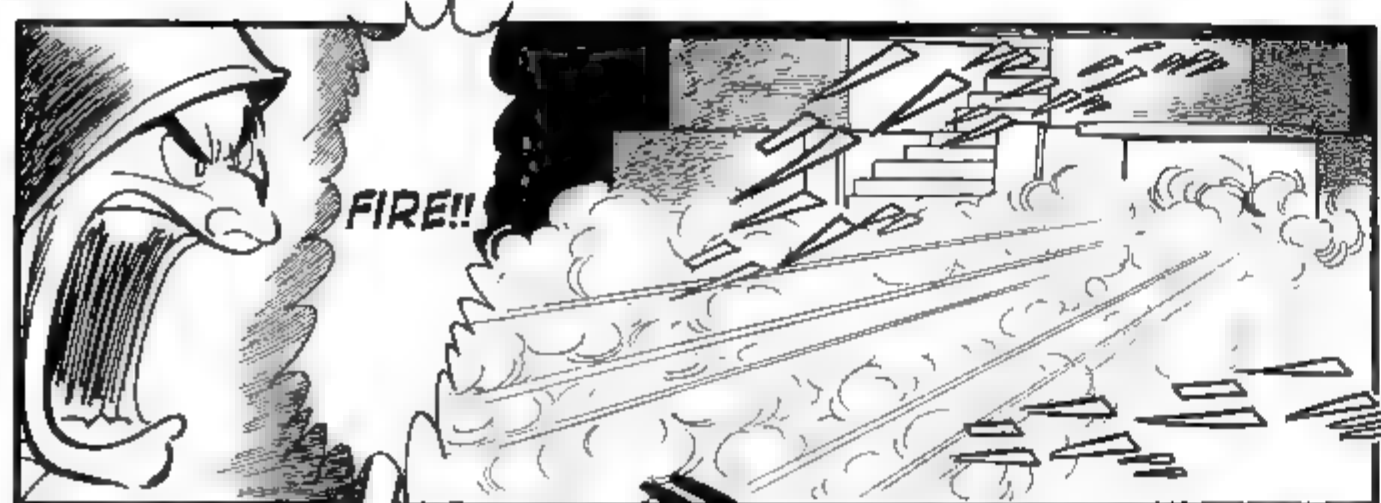
NO... THEY'D BE LIKELY TO STARVE THE CHILDREN FIRST.

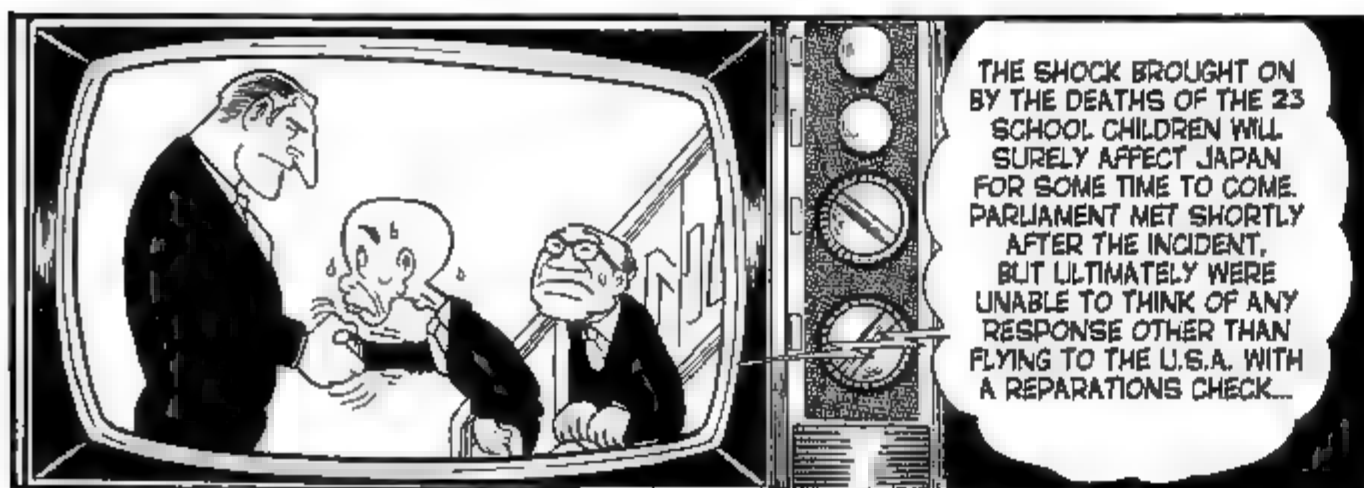
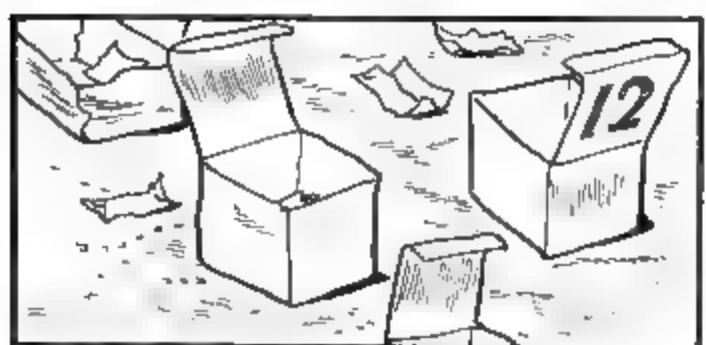
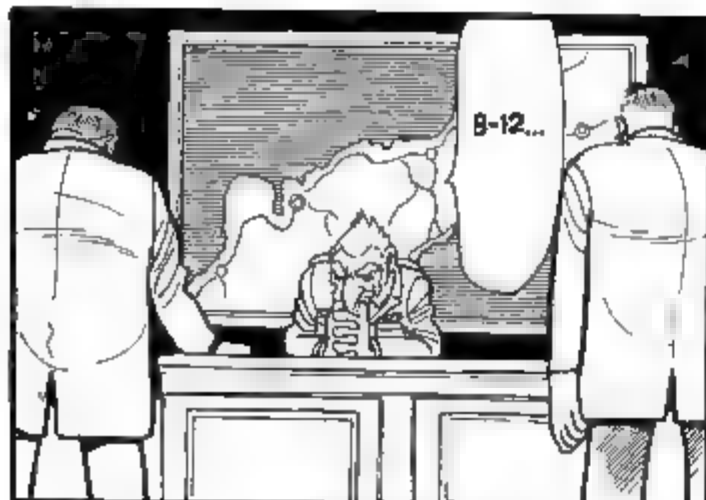










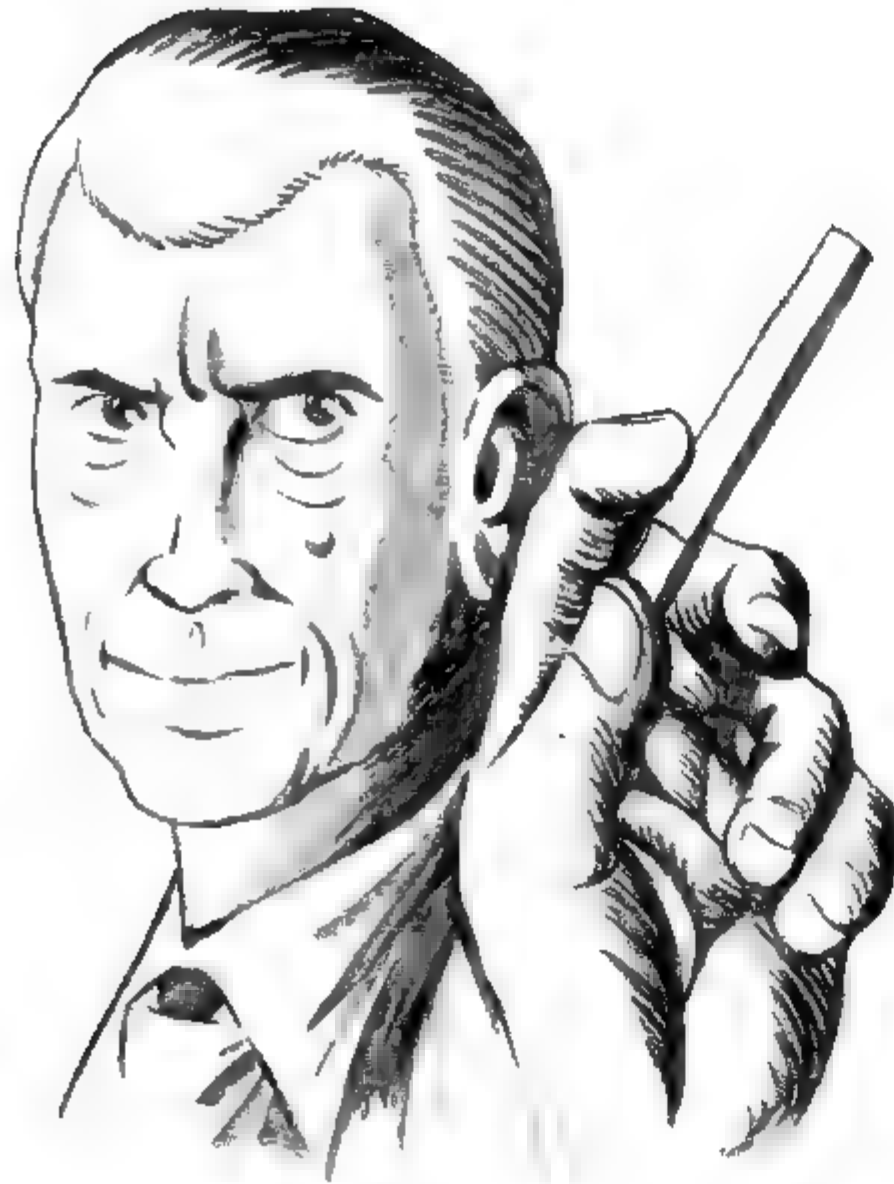


悪魔の開幕

CURTAINS



YOU'RE
GOING TO
ASSASSINATE
PRIME
MINISTER
TANBA.

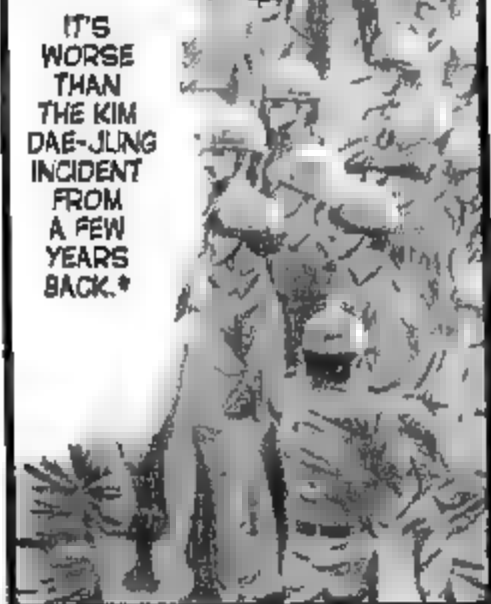


IT'S BEEN THREE YEARS SINCE TANBA CAME INTO POWER. SINCE THEN, JAPAN HAS UNDERGONE RADICAL CHANGE. THINK OF ALL HE'S TAKEN AWAY IN THAT SHORT TIME. A CURFEW IMPOSED ON THE ENTIRE COUNTRY. BOOKS, MOVIES, NEWSPAPERS... ALL FORMS OF MEDIA CENSORED OR BANNED.



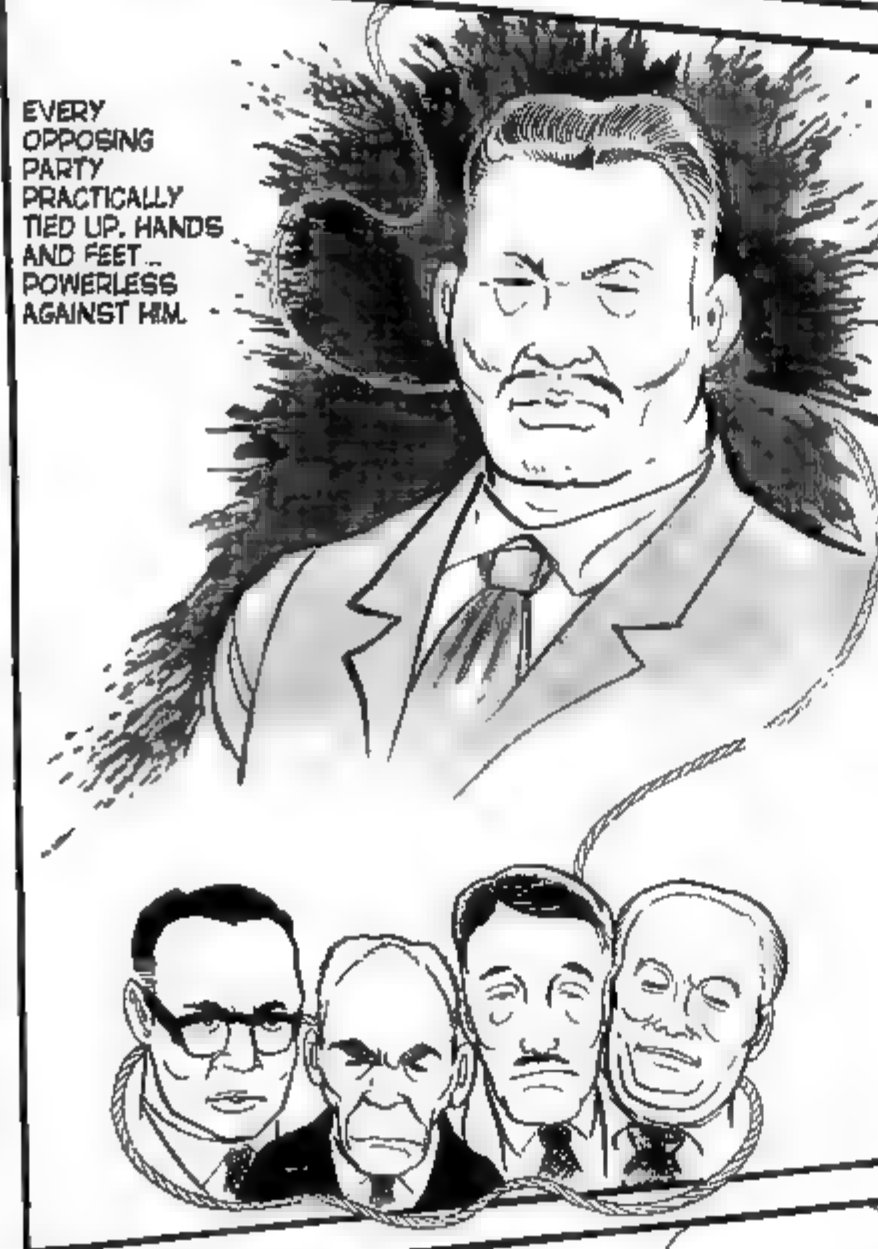


JUST TO
MAKE AN
EXAMPLE,
COUNT-
LESS
PEOPLE
WERE
PUT TO
DEATH.



IT'S
WORSE
THAN
THE KIM
DAE-JUNG
INCIDENT
FROM
A FEW
YEARS
BACK.*

EVERY
OPPOSING
PARTY
PRACTICALLY
TIED UP, HANDS
AND FEET...
POWERLESS
AGAINST HIM.



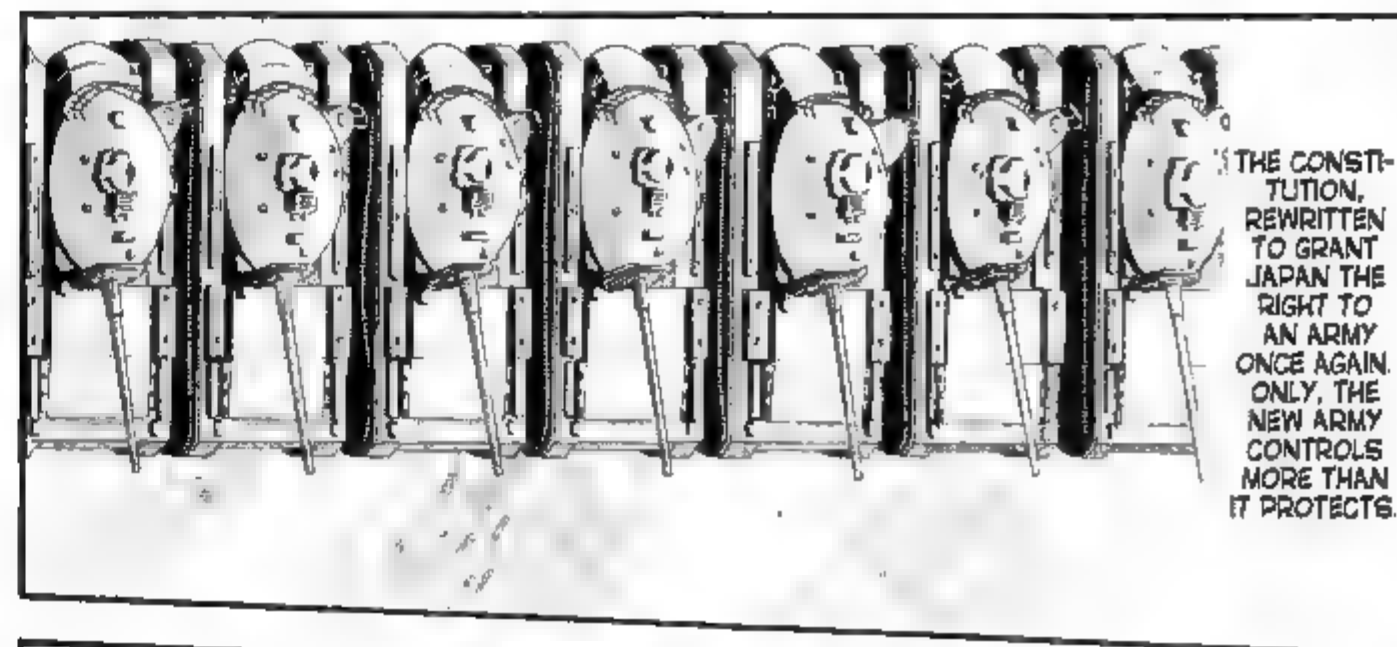
MUCH
WORSE
THAN THAT.



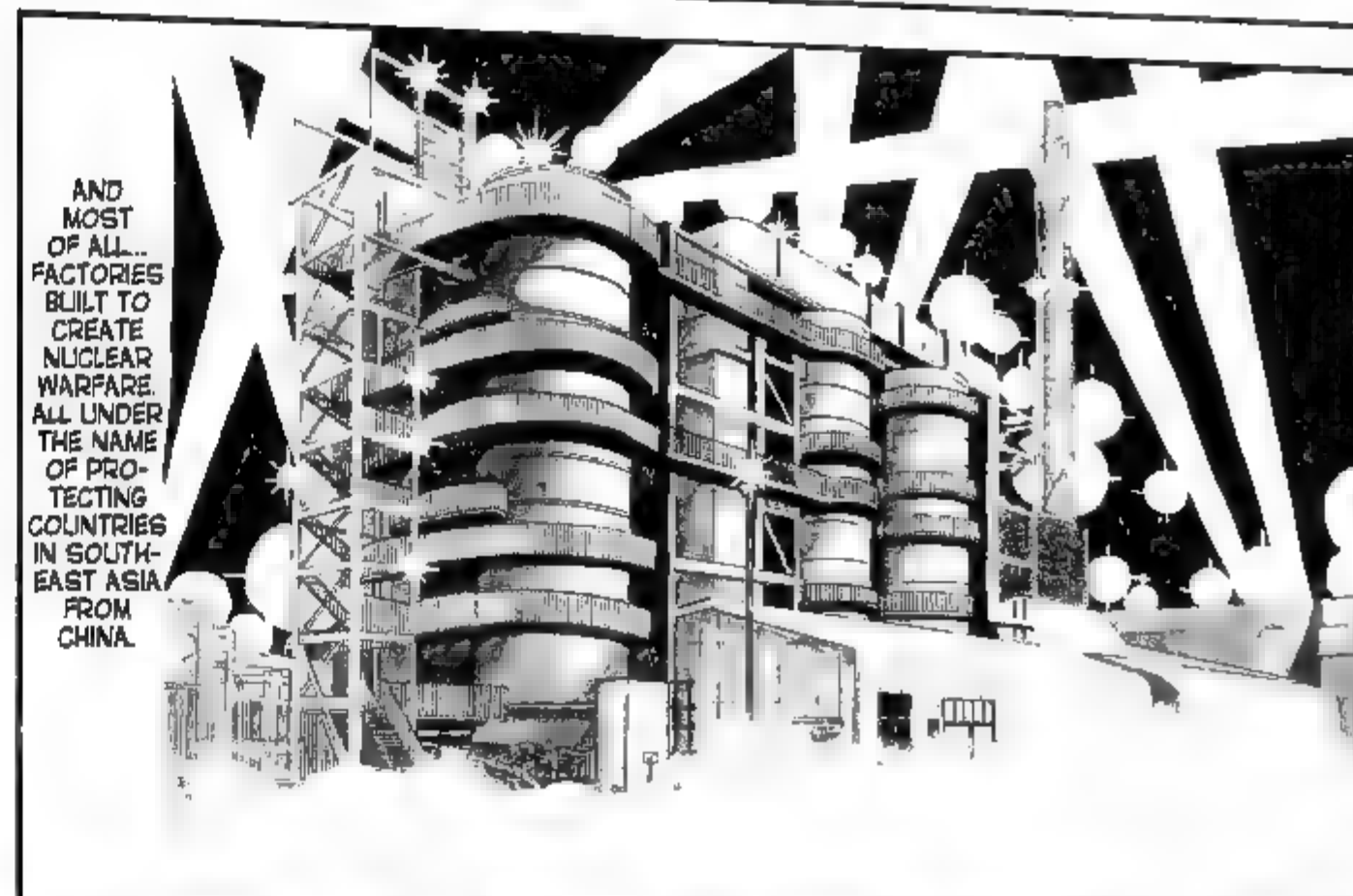
RIGHT... THAT
BOOK, BUT
UNFORTUNATELY,
THAT BOOK HAS
ME STUCK DOWN
HERE, SO I'M
RELYING ON YOU.

EVERYTHING
IS JUST AS
YOU PREDICTED
IT WOULD BE
IN YOUR BOOK.

INCIDENT WHERE THE BIGGEST POLITICAL OPPONENT TO THE CURRENT PRESIDENT
OF KOREA WAS KIDNAPPED DURING HIS STAY IN JAPAN AND SET FREE AT
A GAS STATION NEAR HIS HOME, FIVE DAYS LATER. (1973)



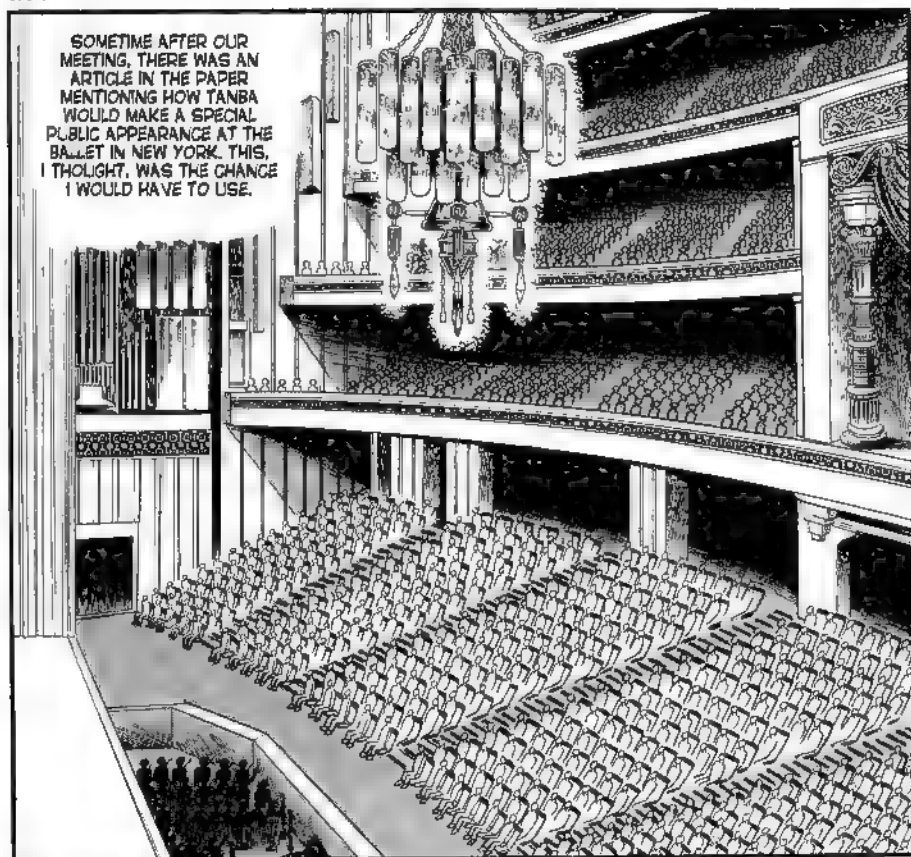
THE CONSTITUTION,
REWRITTEN TO GRANT
JAPAN THE
RIGHT TO
AN ARMY
ONCE AGAIN.
ONLY, THE
NEW ARMY
CONTROLS
MORE THAN
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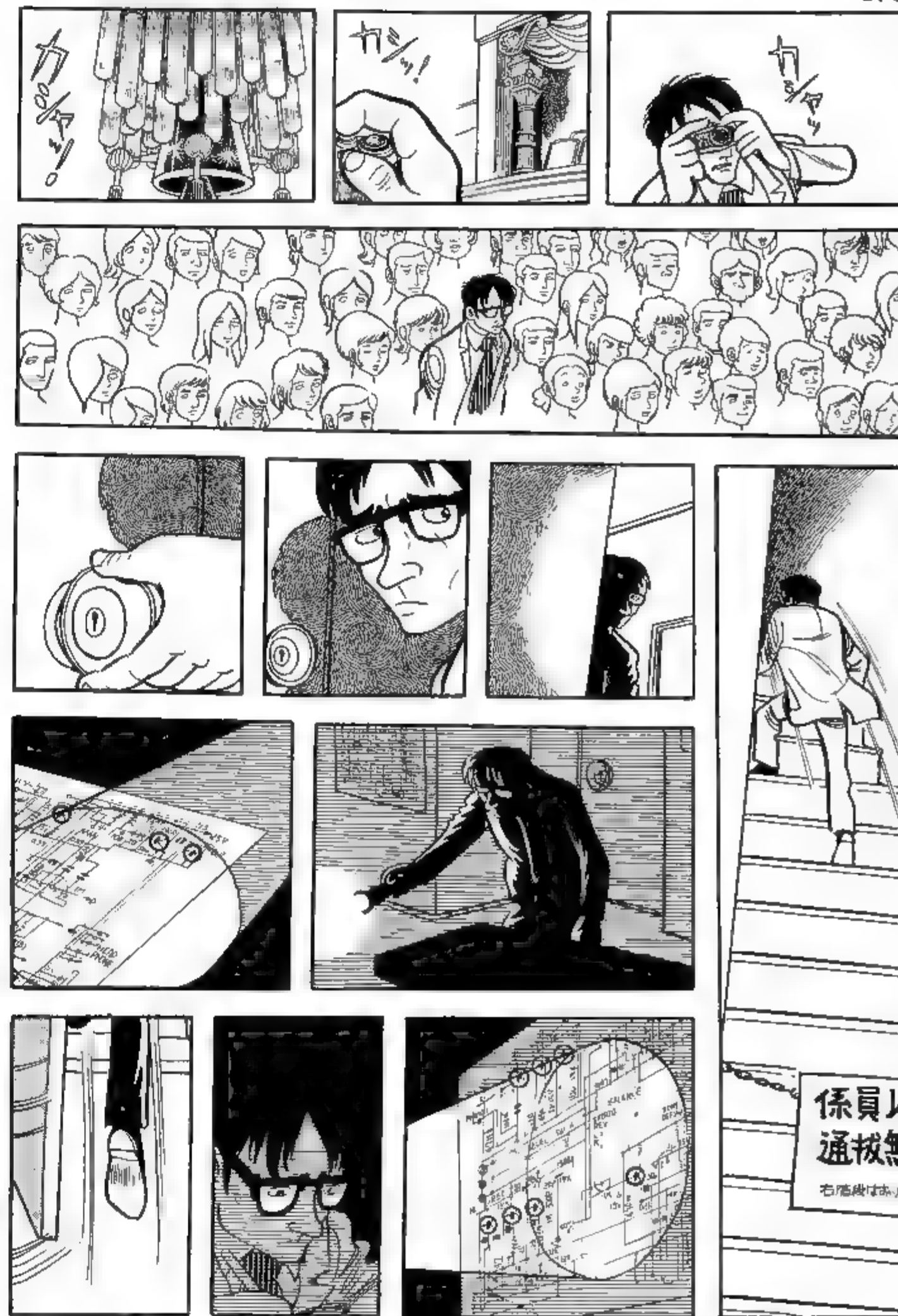
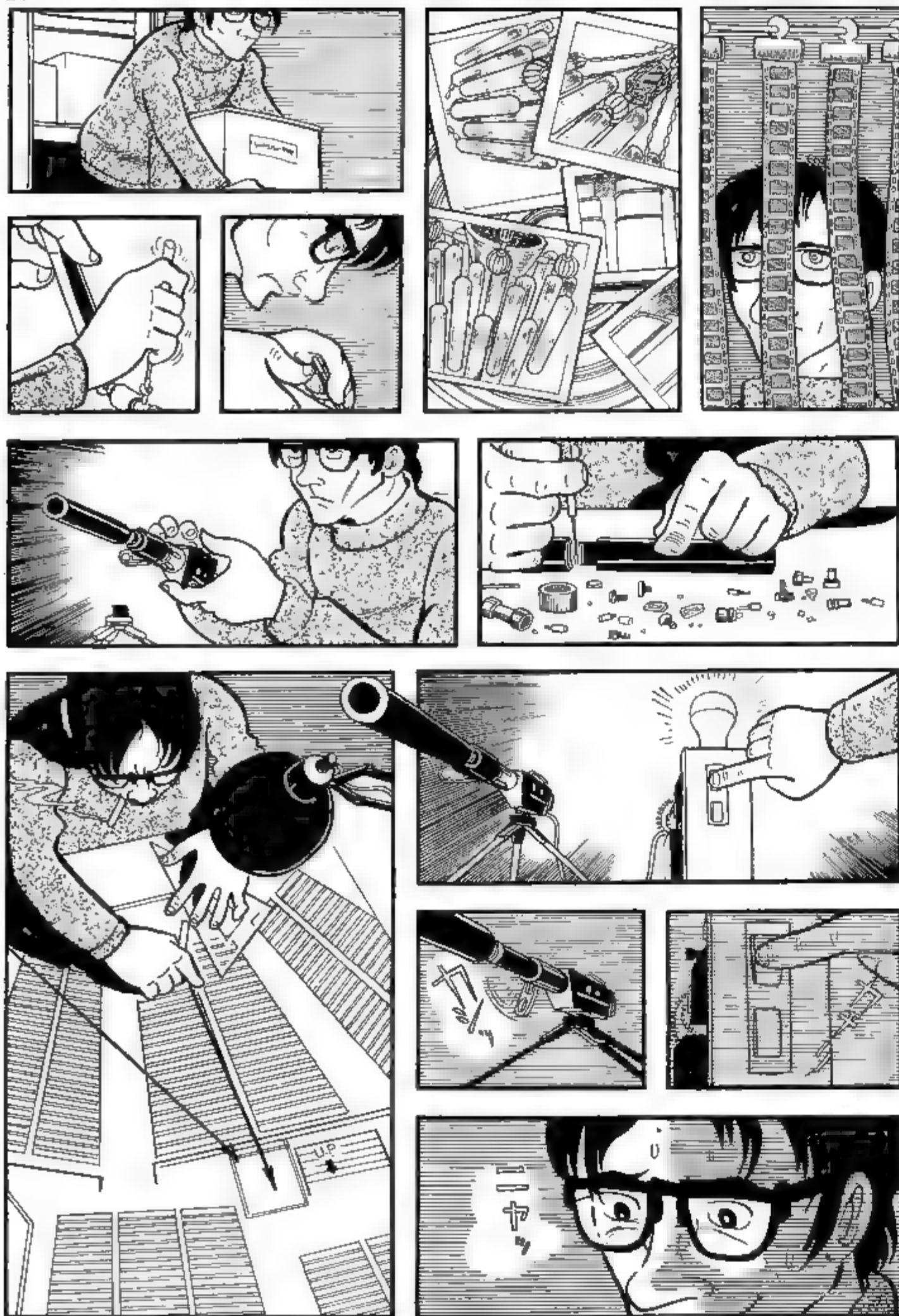


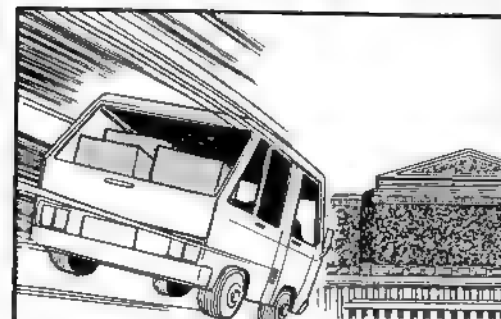
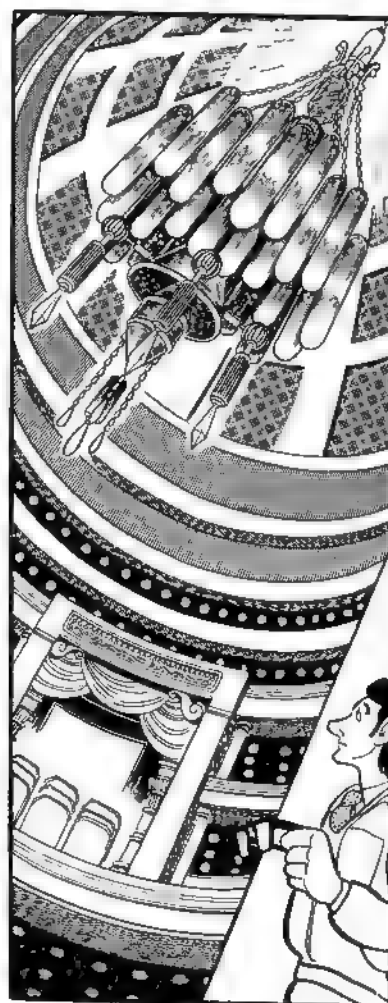
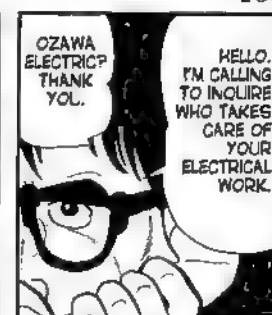
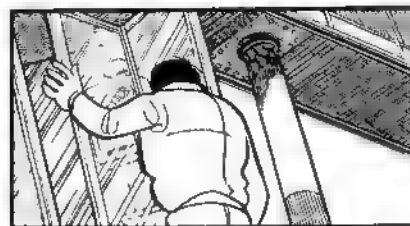
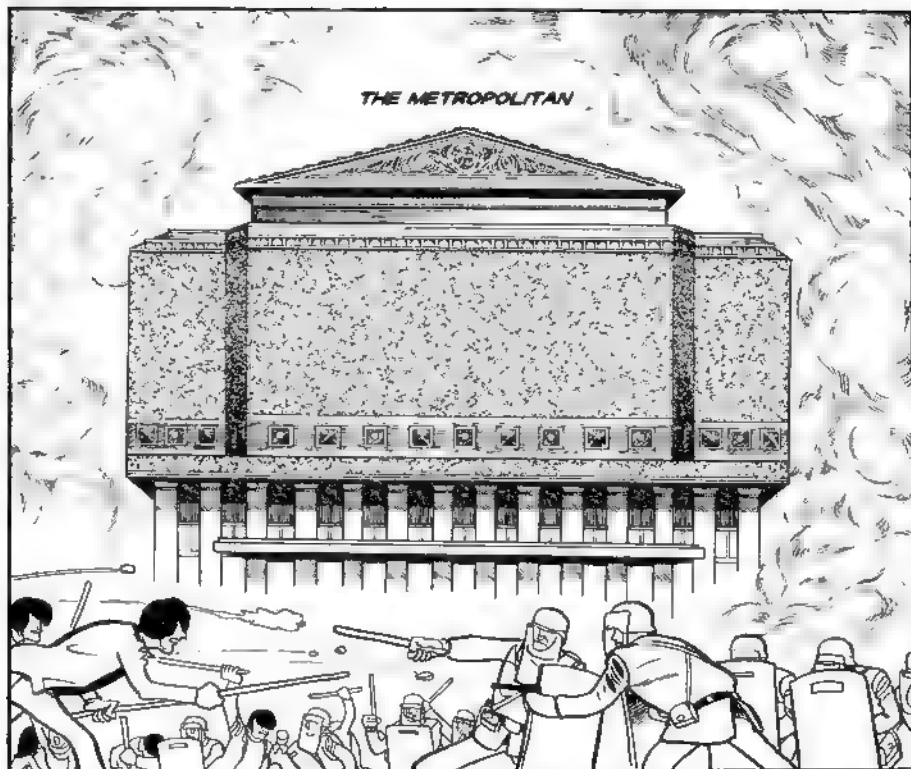
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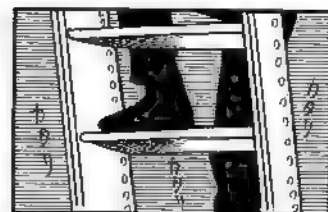
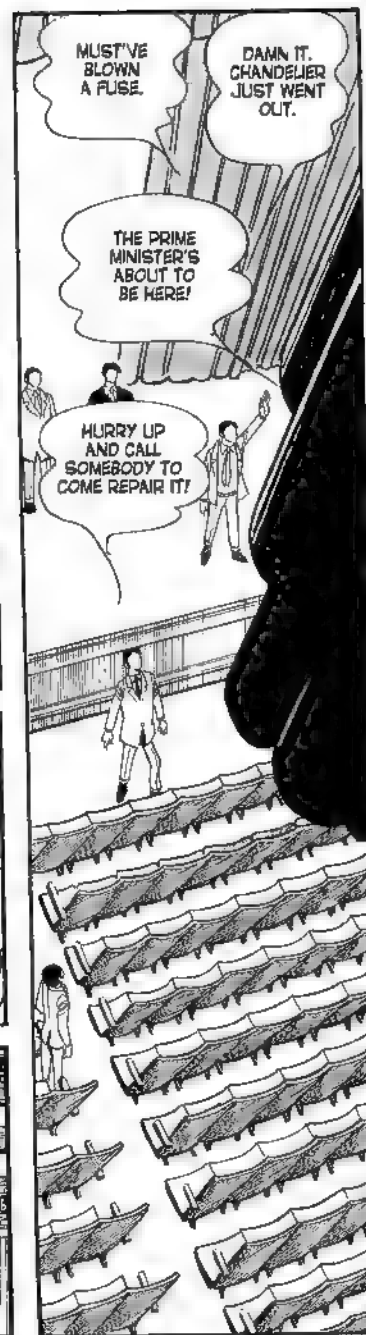
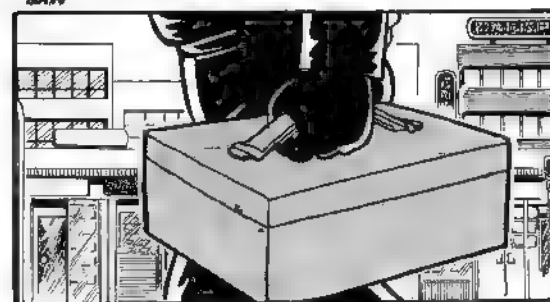


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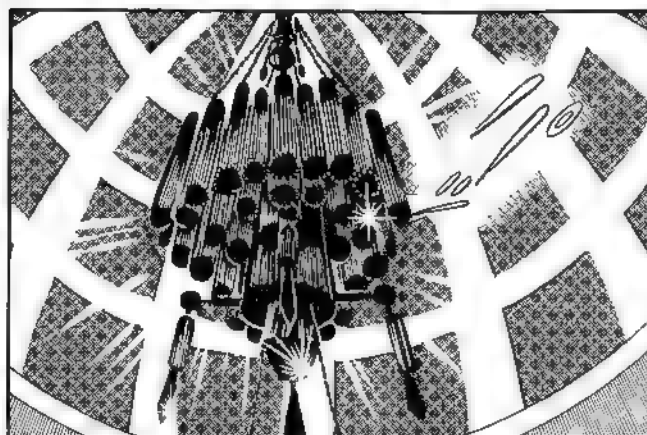
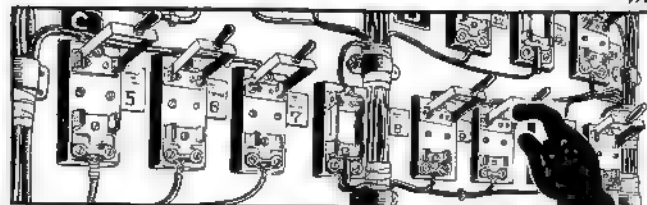


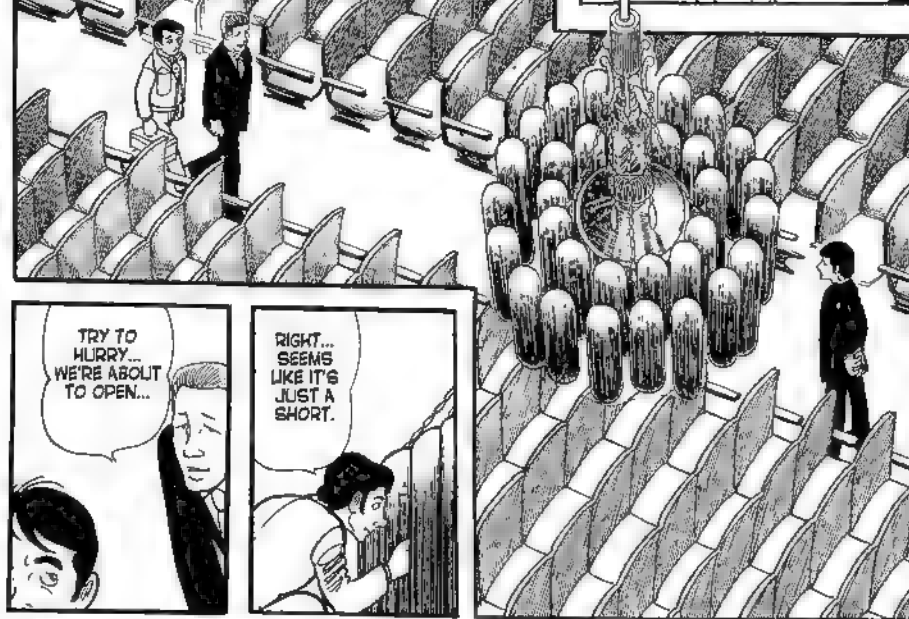
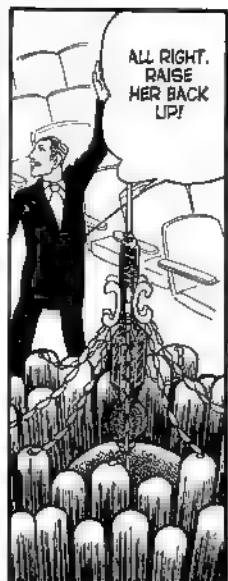
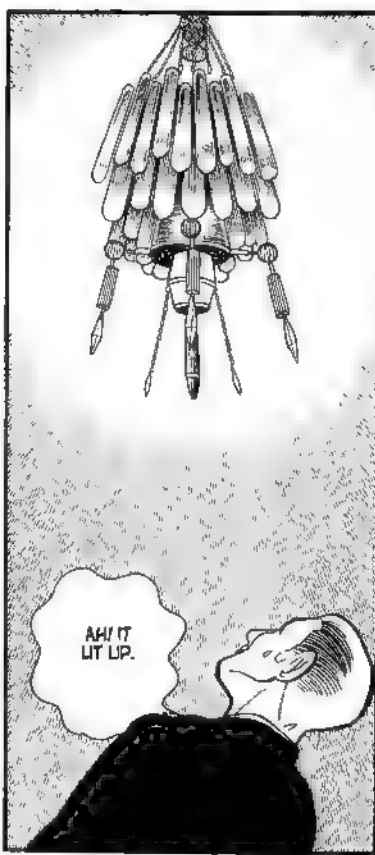
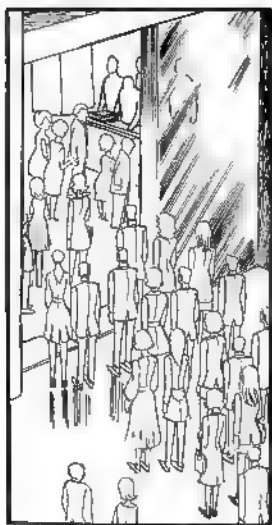
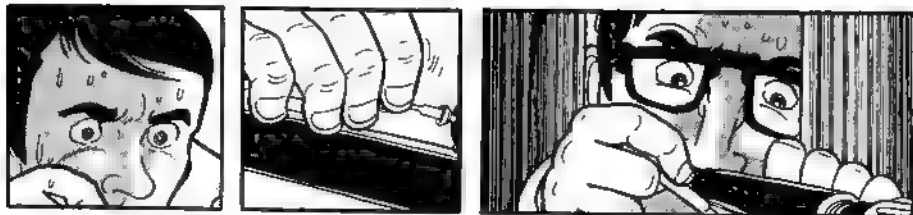


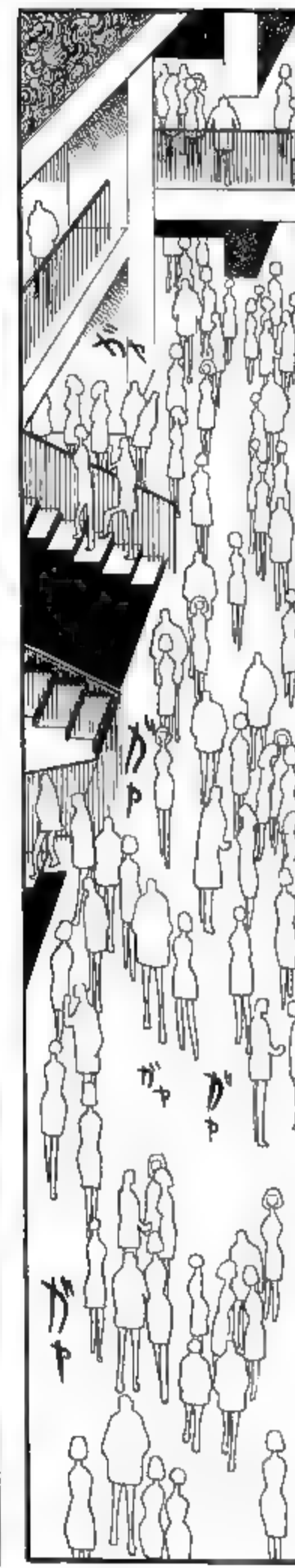
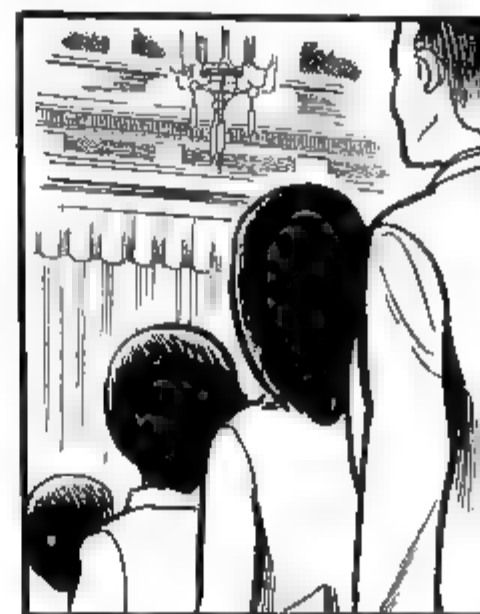
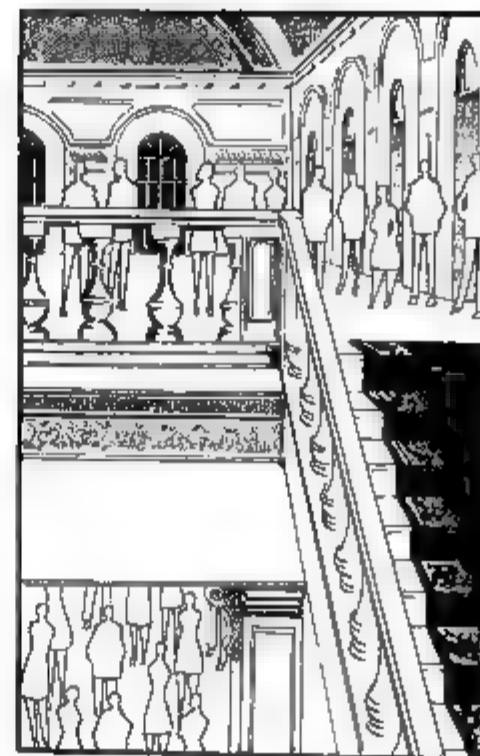
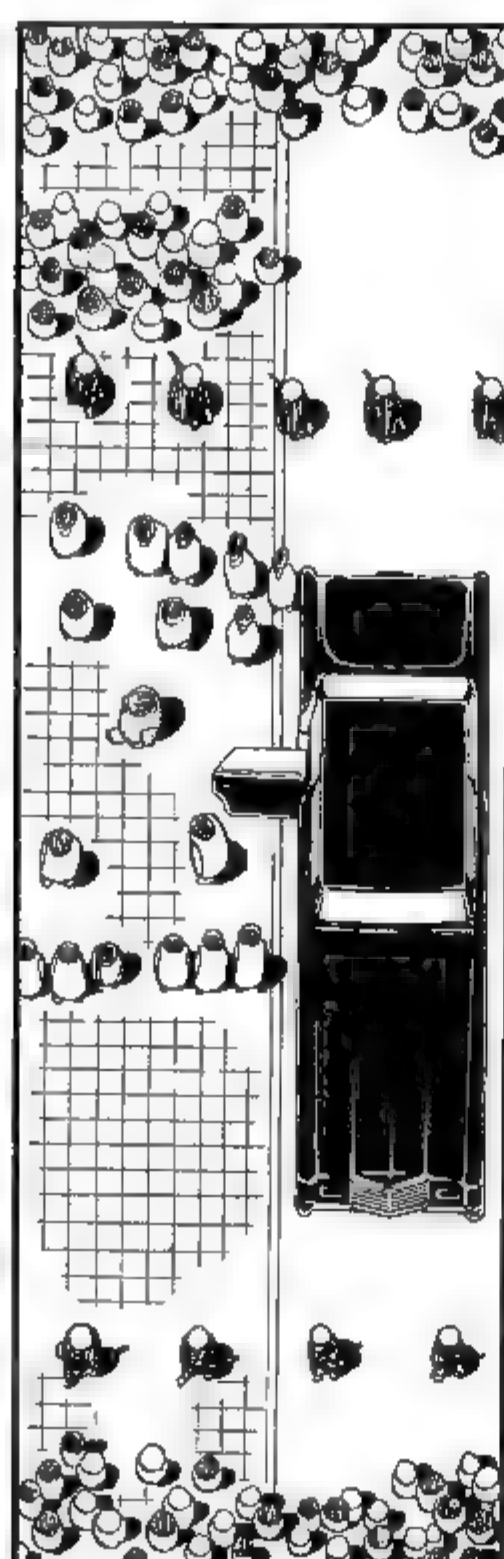
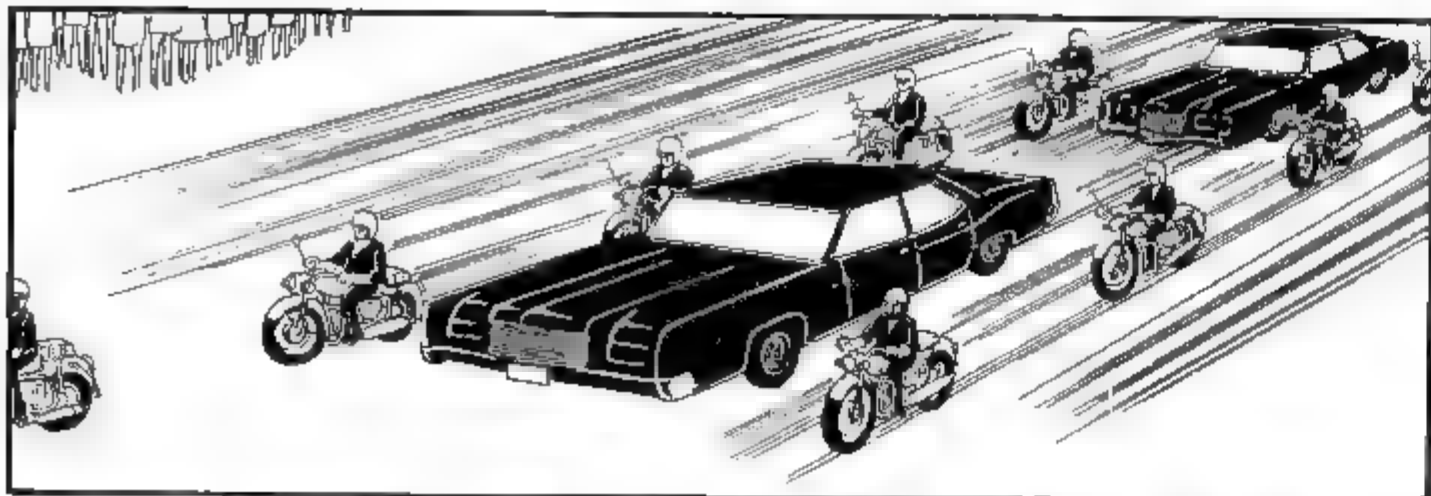




THEATER BACK - / AUTHORIZED PERSONS ONLY





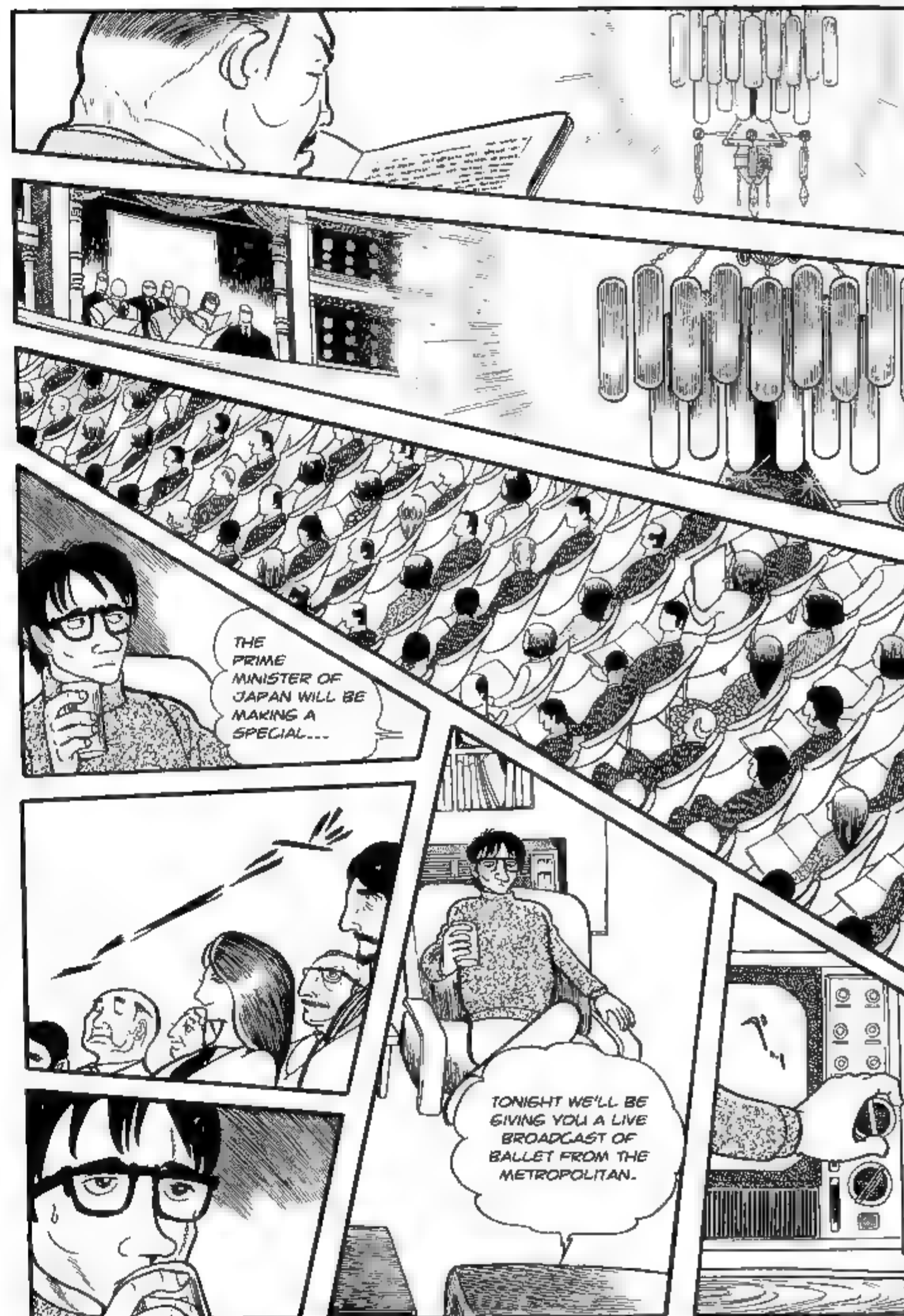
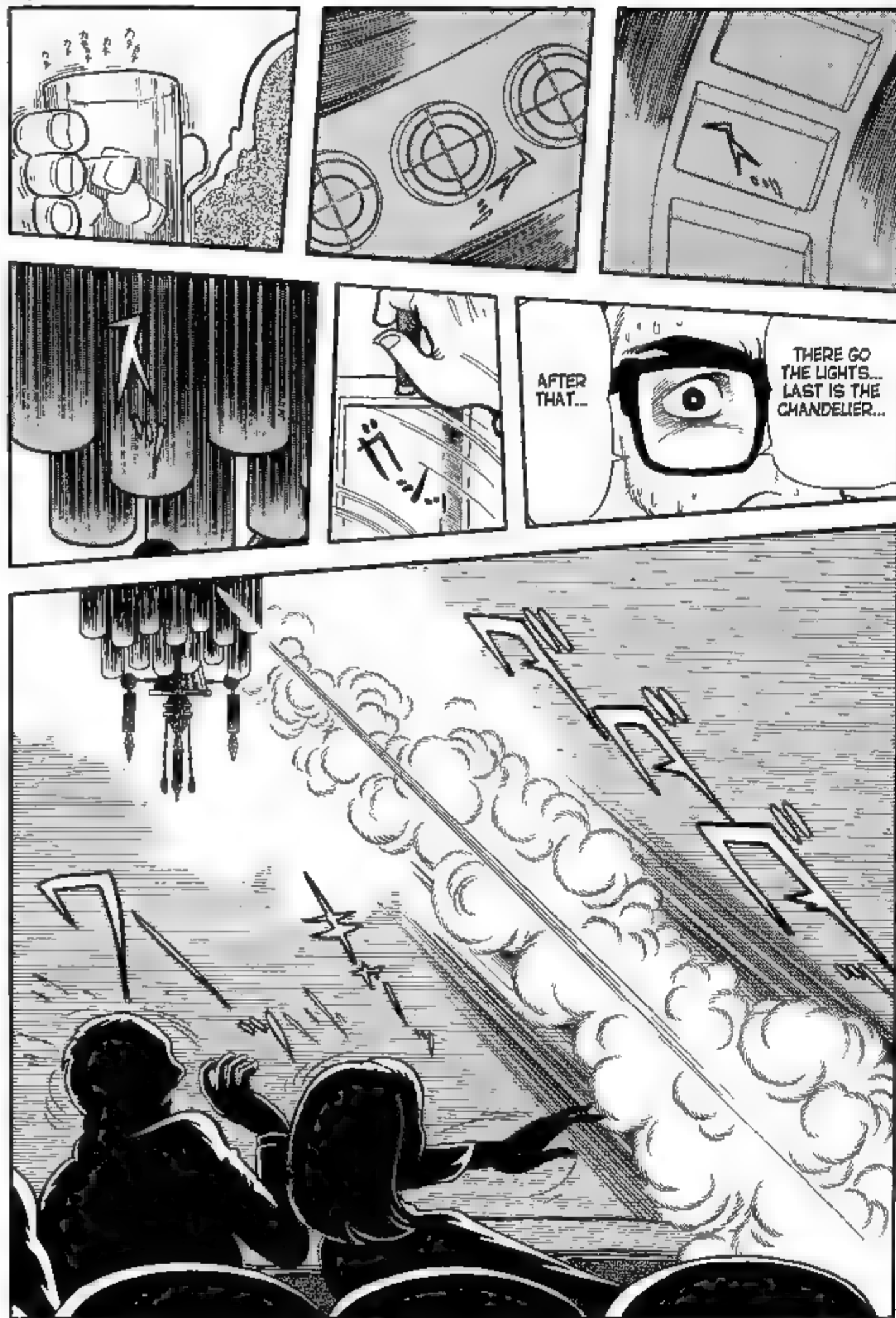


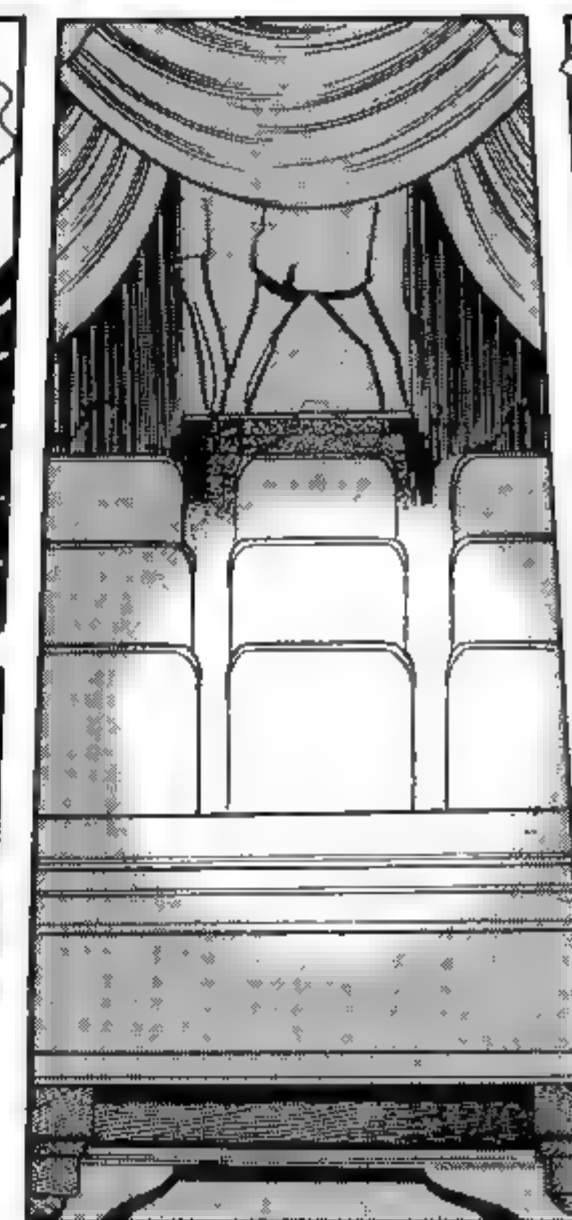
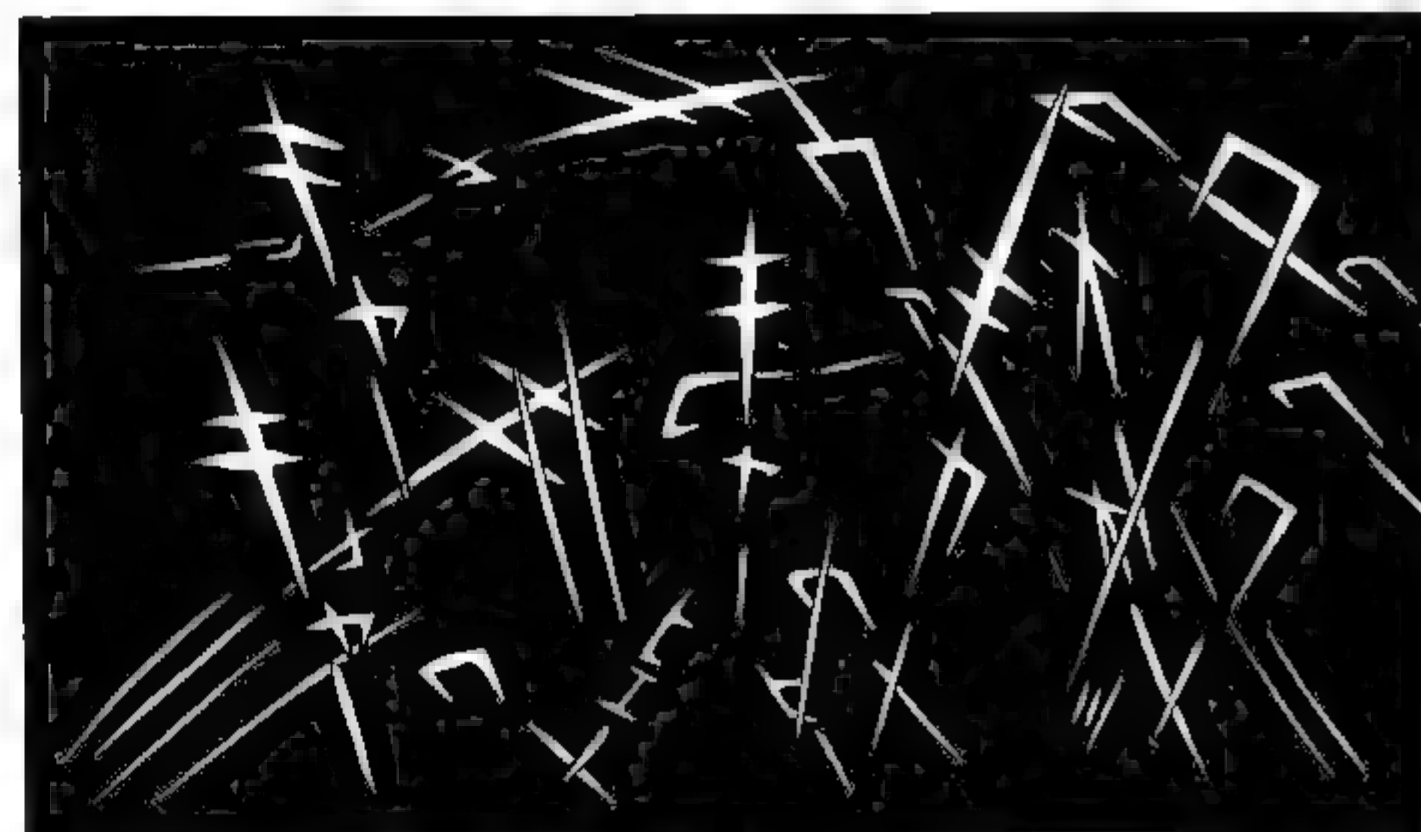
I WAS ABLE TO SET THE GUN INSIDE THE CHANDELIER. IT'LL GO OFF WHEN THEY TURN OFF THE LIGHTS.

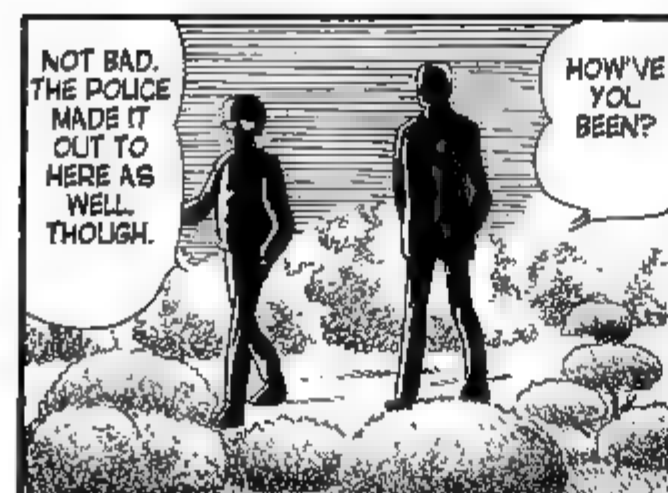
HELLO... SIR? EVERYTHING IS SET AND UNDER WAY.

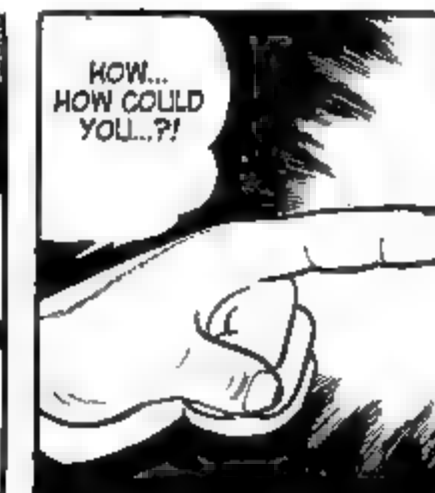
SHOULD BE AIMED RIGHT AT TANBA'S SEAT.

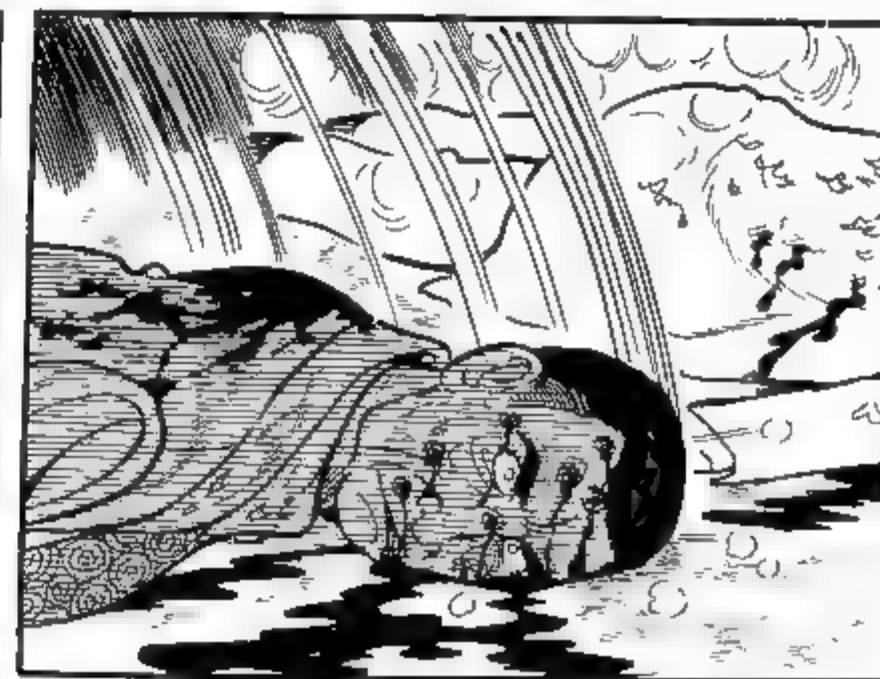






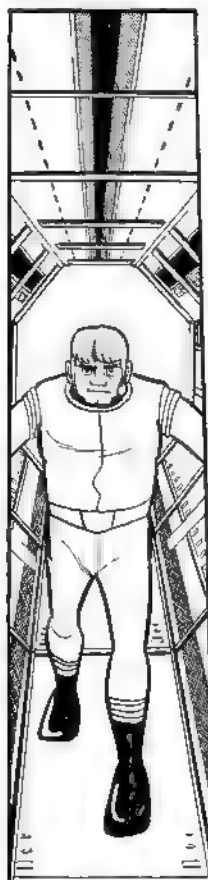




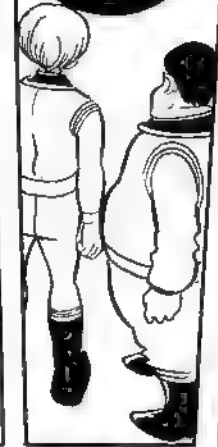
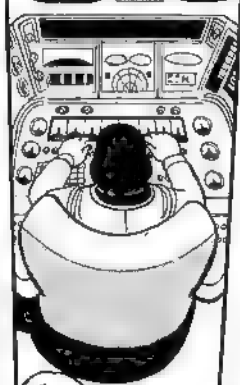
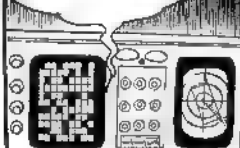


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RETURN SHIP



COME IN... THIS IS SPACESHIP HARMONIA PROTEA, CURRENTLY ON COURSE BACK TO EARTH. WE HAVE RECEIVED YOUR SIGNAL AND CONFIRMED YOUR LOCATION.

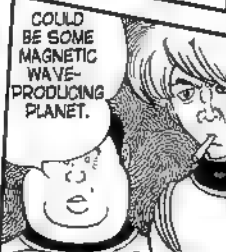


CAPTAIN! THE RADAR..!

IS IT A SHIP?



CAN'T SAY FOR SURE YET. RIGHT NOW IT'S JUST A FREQUENCY THAT WE CAN'T UNDERSTAND.

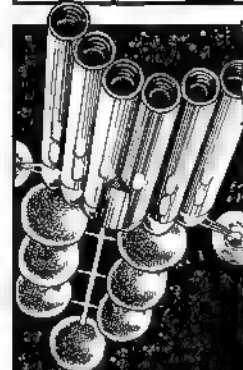


I'LL TRY WRITING ANOTHER RESPONSE

THAT 227 FREQUENCY WE'VE BEEN NOTICING FOR THE LAST MONTH SEEMS TO BE GETTING CLOSER.



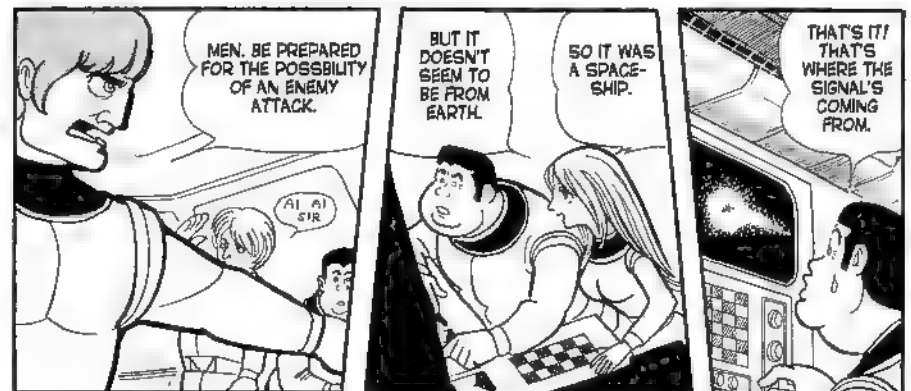
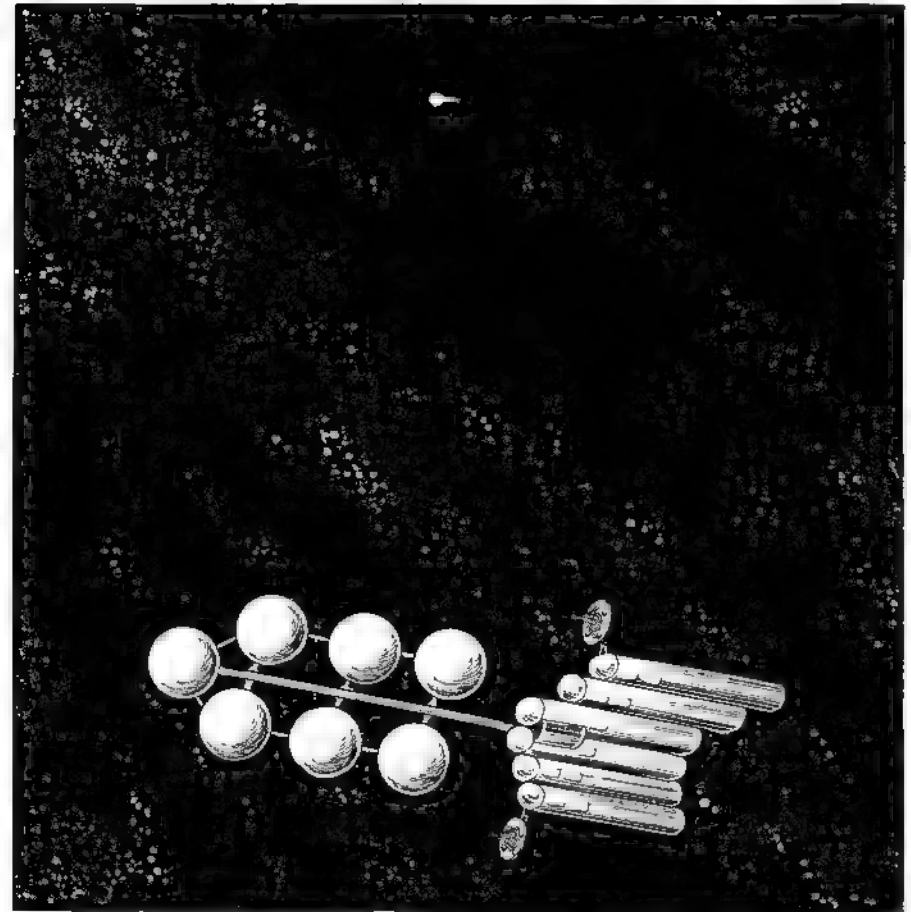
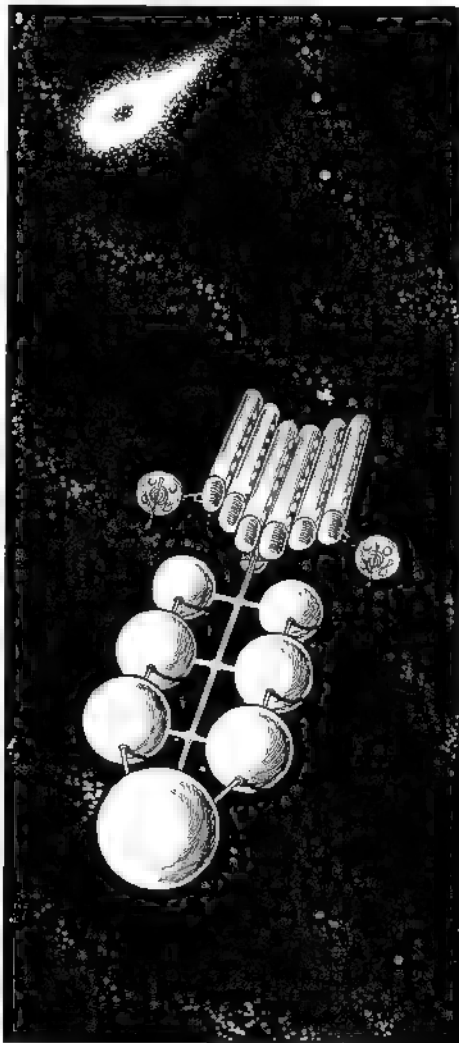
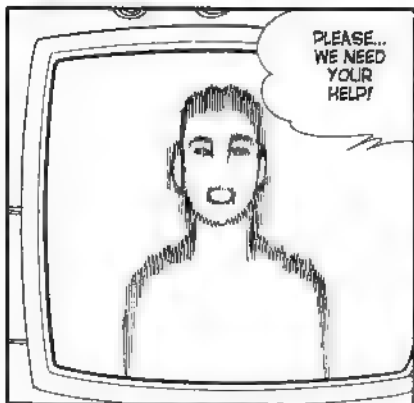
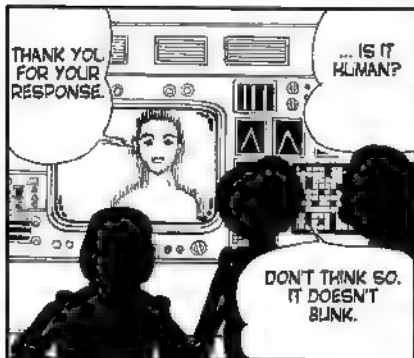
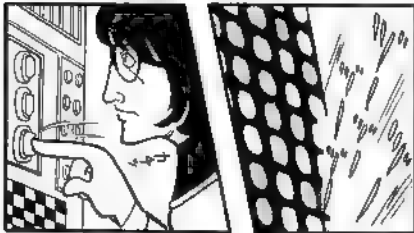
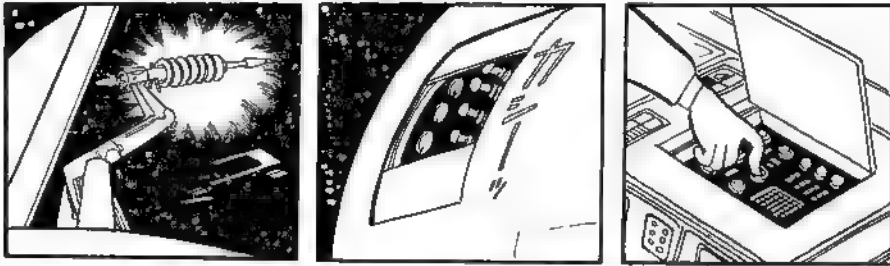
OVER 2000 EARTHLINGS ASSEMBLED AT THE FIRST INTERGALACTIC PEACE CONVENTION HELD ON CENTAURUS ALPHA. MORE THAN HALF OF THESE WERE THOSE WELL-KNOWN "SPACE HIPPIES", BUT AMONG MANY OF THEM WERE PEOPLE THAT HAD NO REAL INTEREST IN THE IDEAS OF PEACE AT ALL... JUST LIKED GETTING HIGH AND TRYING TO HAVE ONE HELL OF A GOOD TIME.

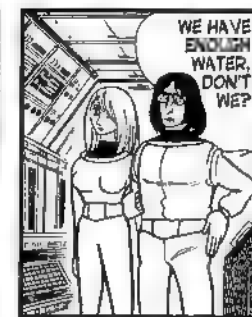
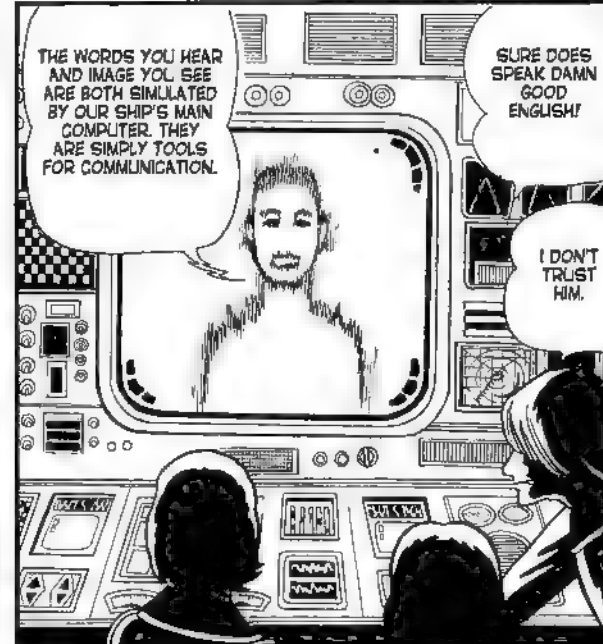
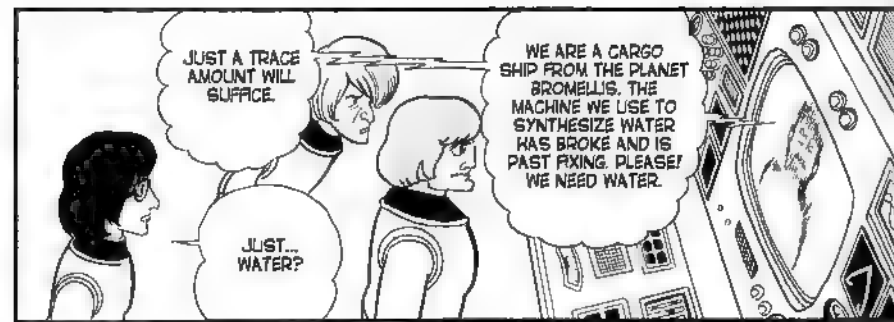
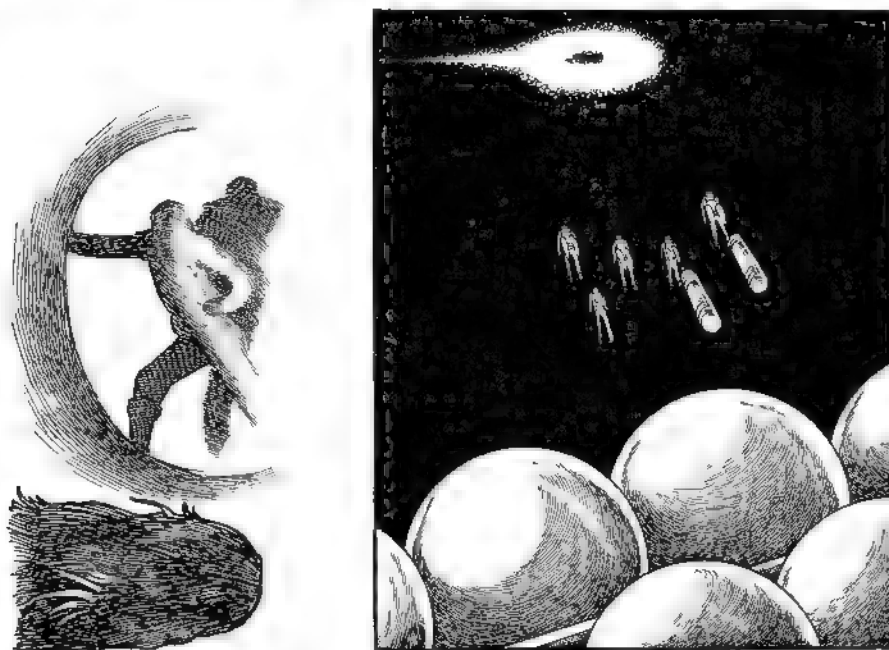
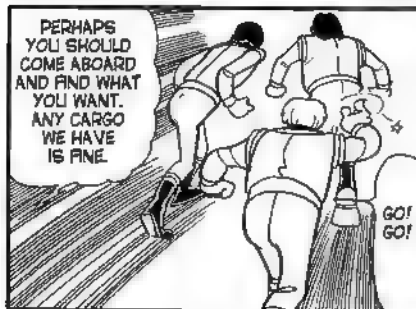


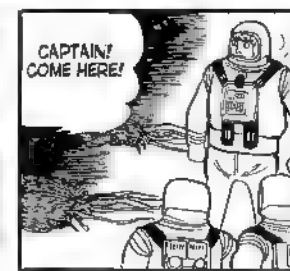
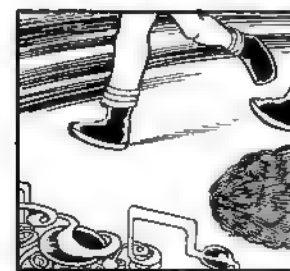
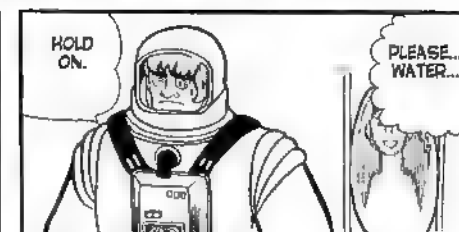
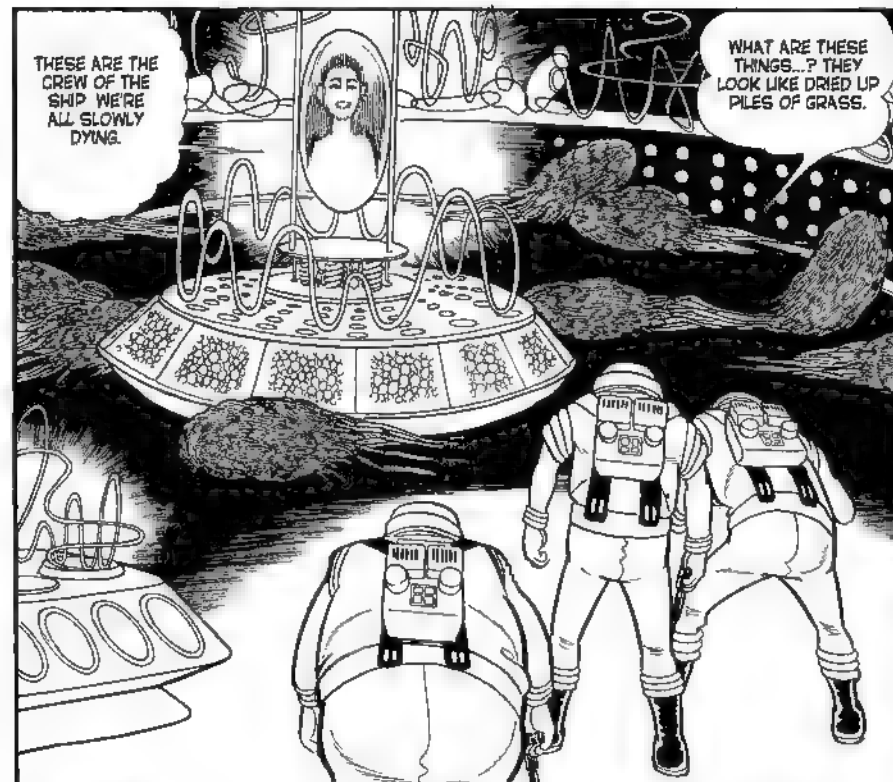
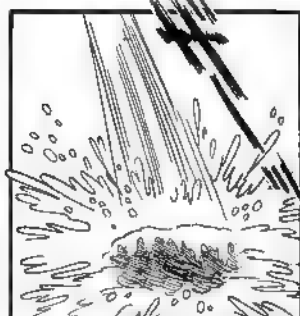
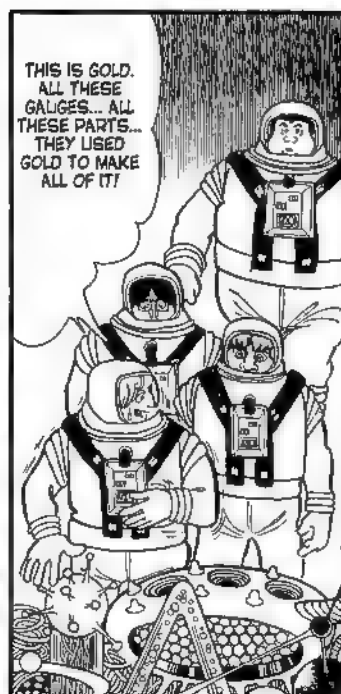
THEY WERE IN NO WAY PREPARED FOR WHAT THEY WERE TO ENCOUNTER ON THEIR WAY HOME.

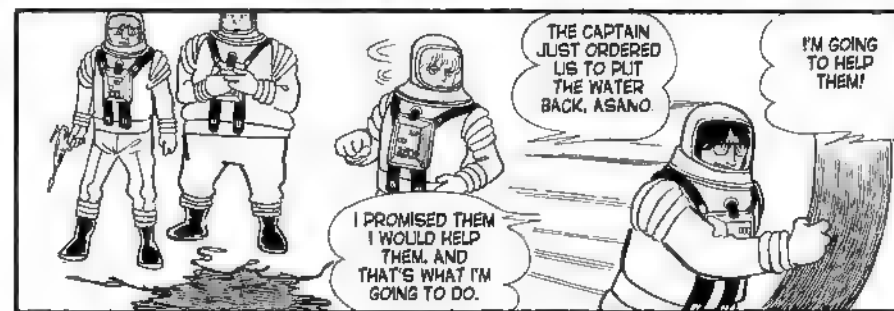
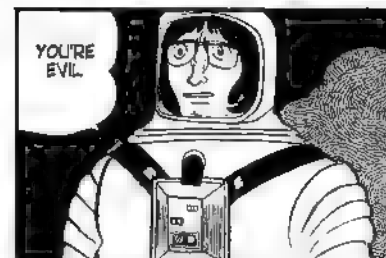
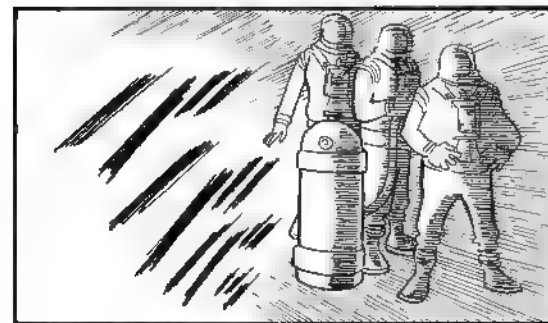
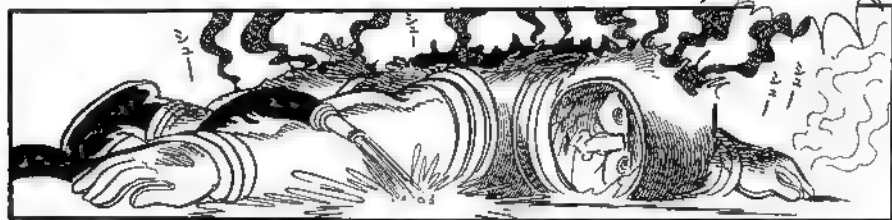
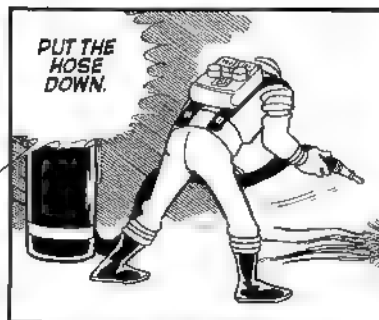


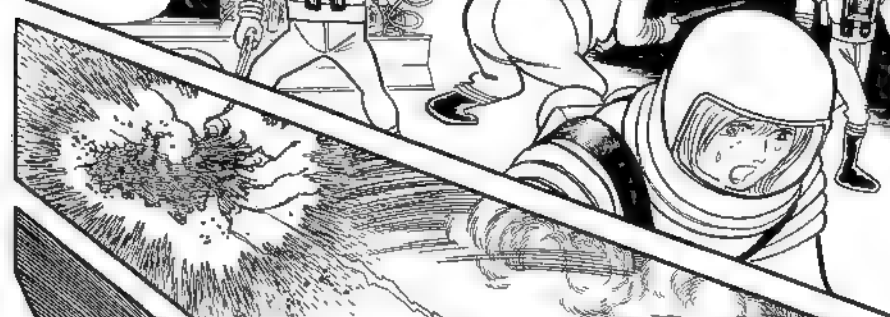
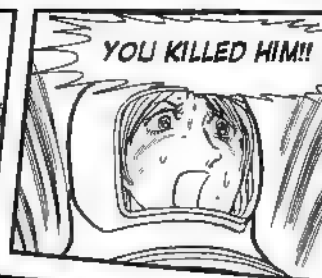
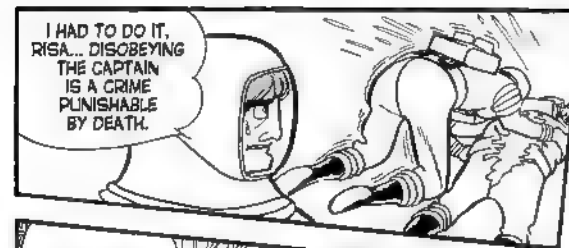
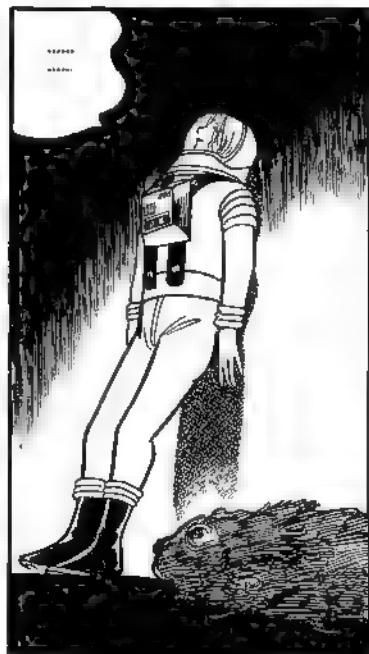
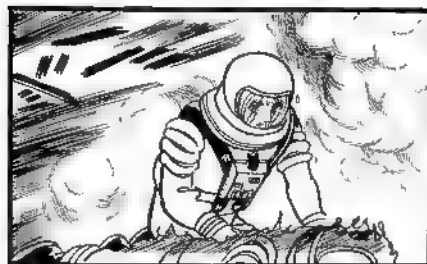
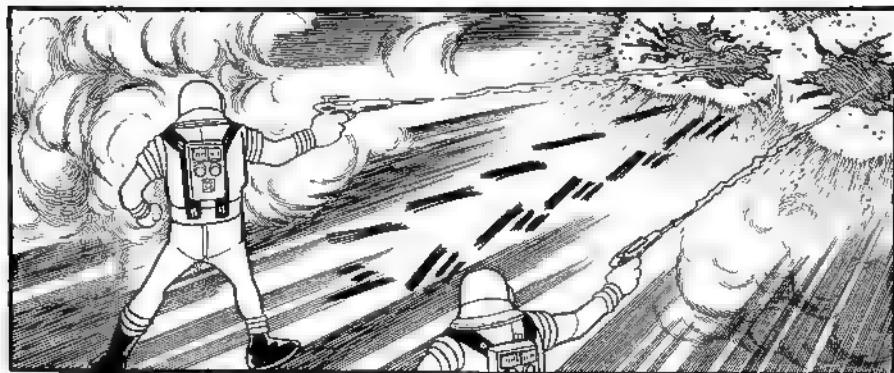
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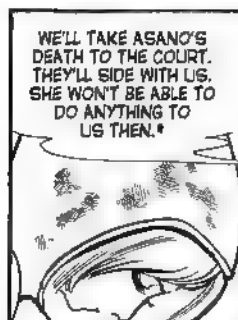
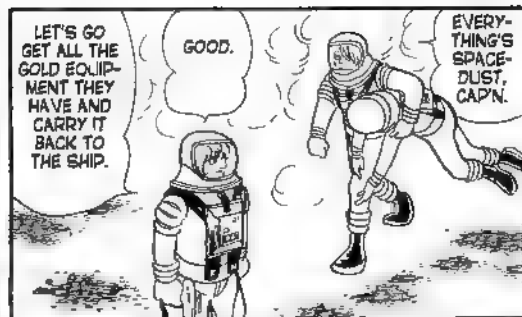
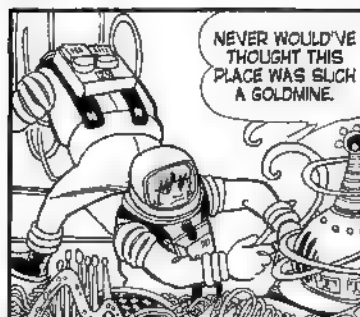




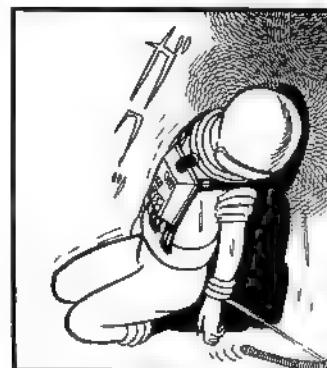
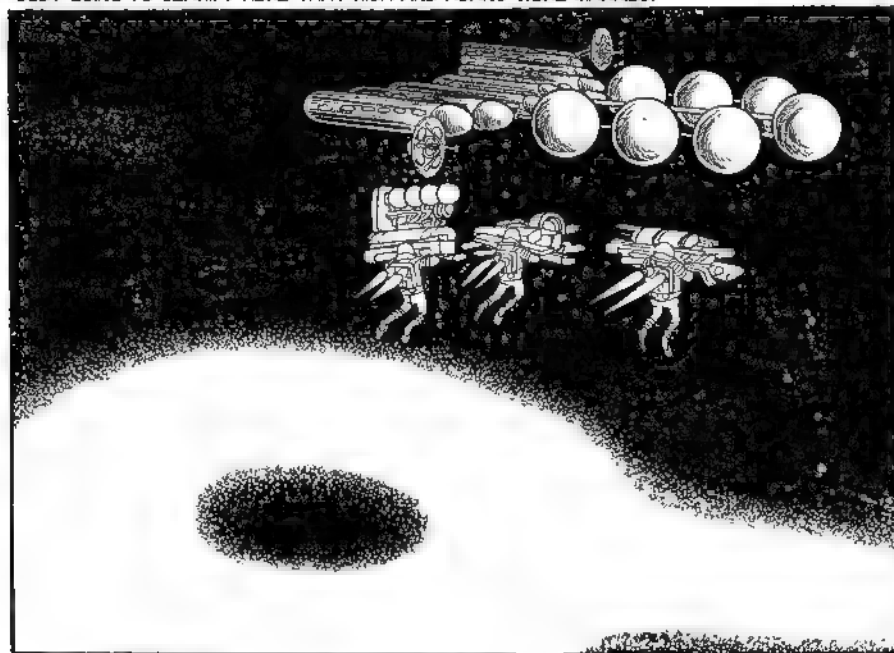


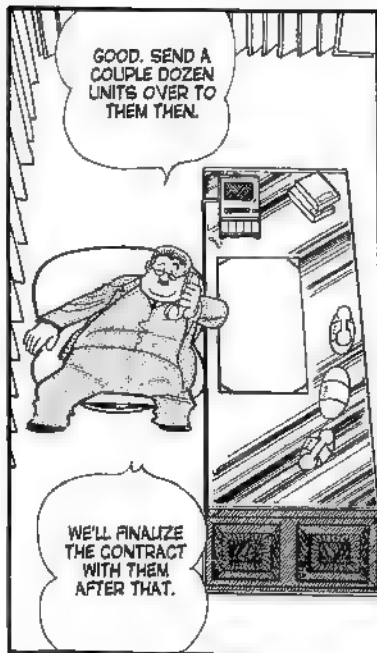




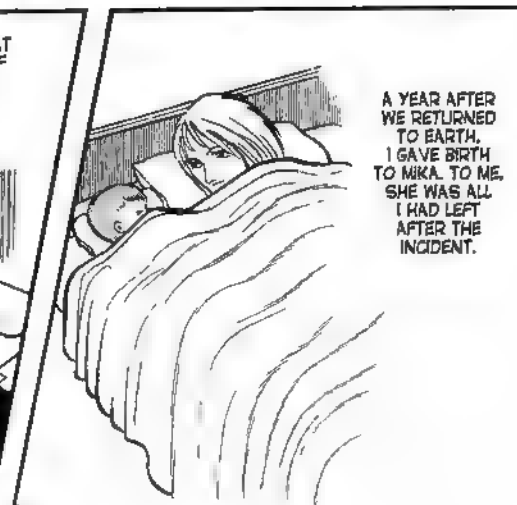
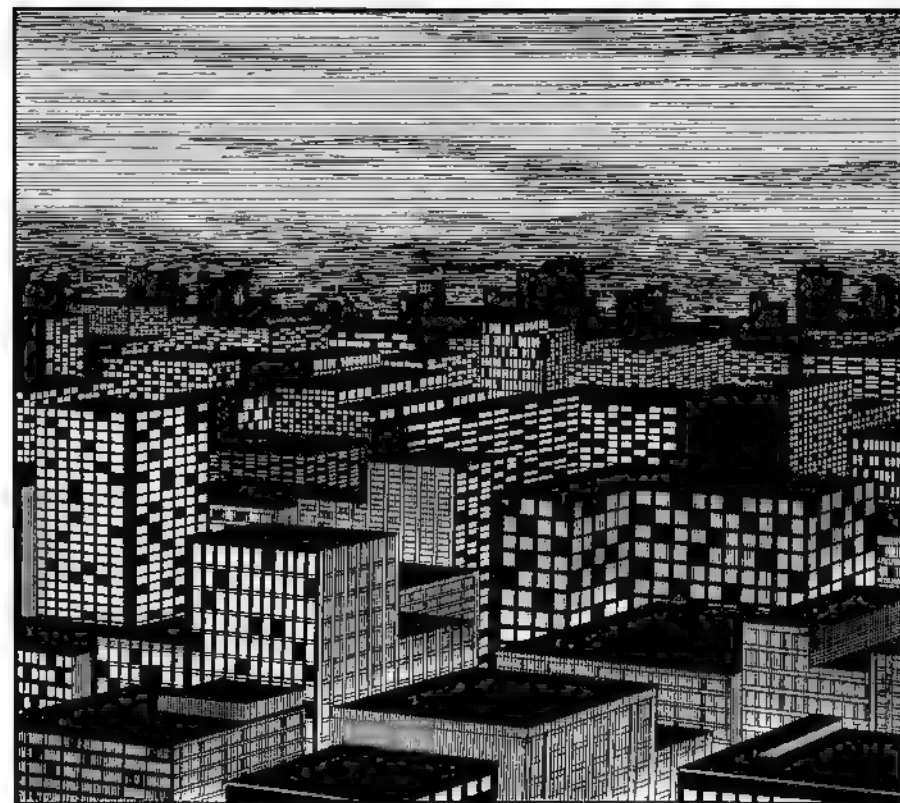
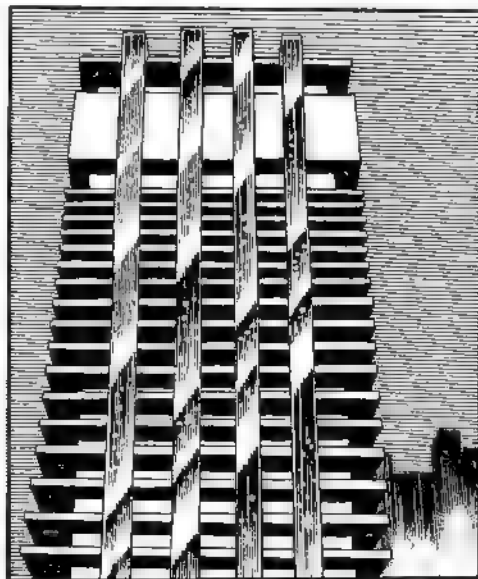


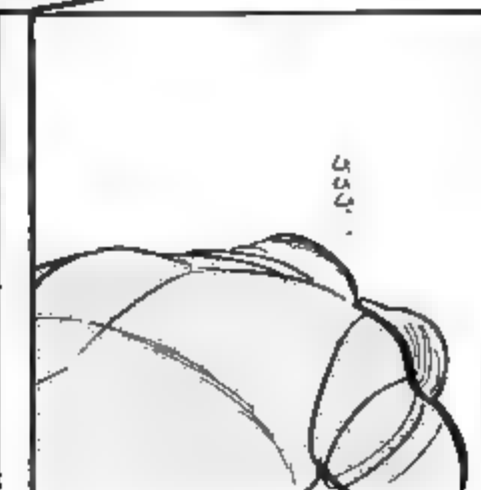
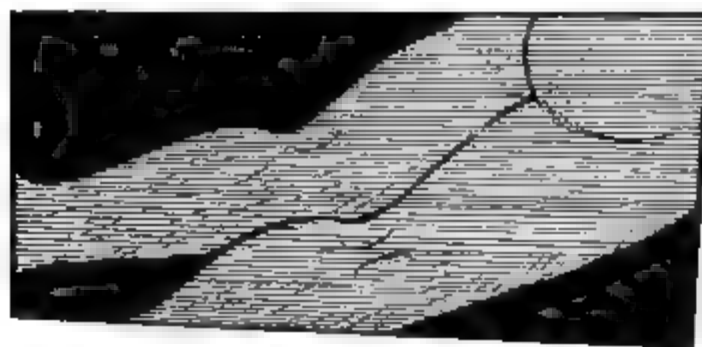
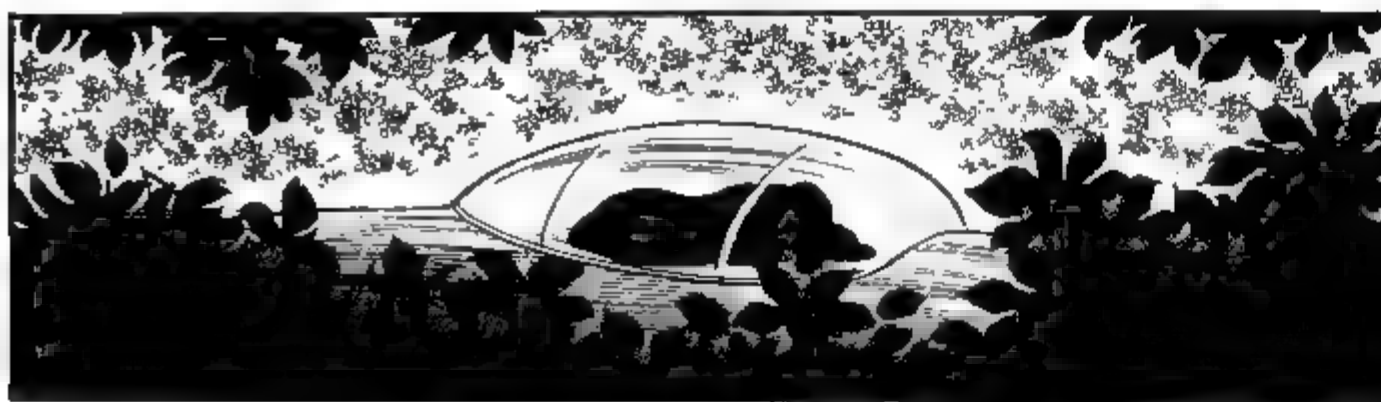
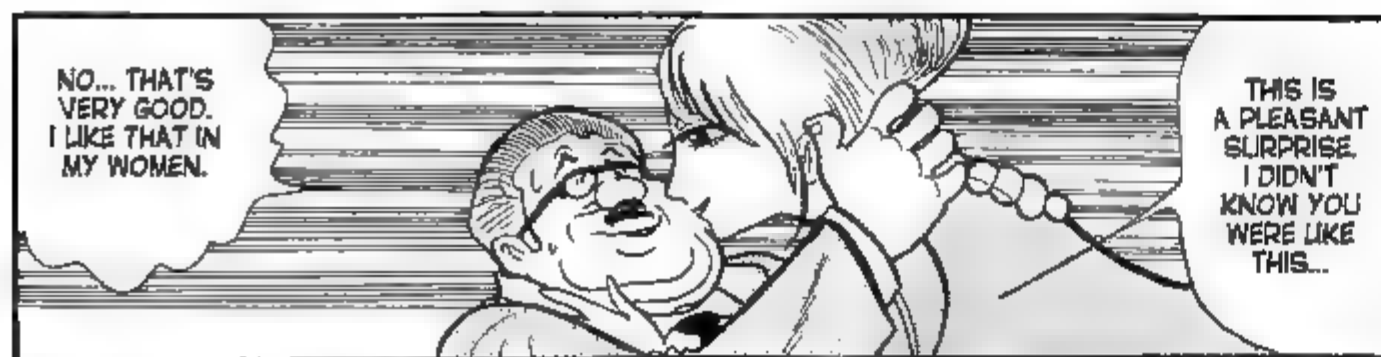
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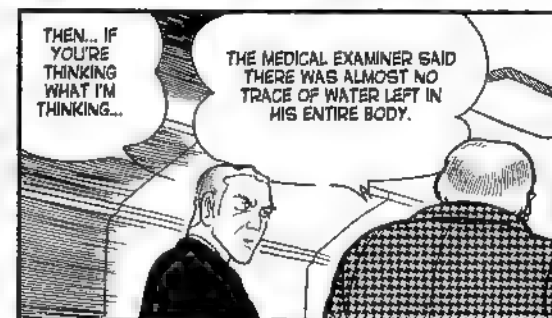
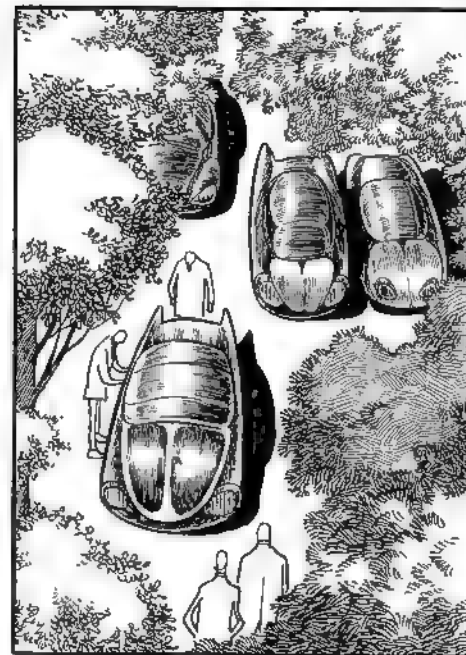
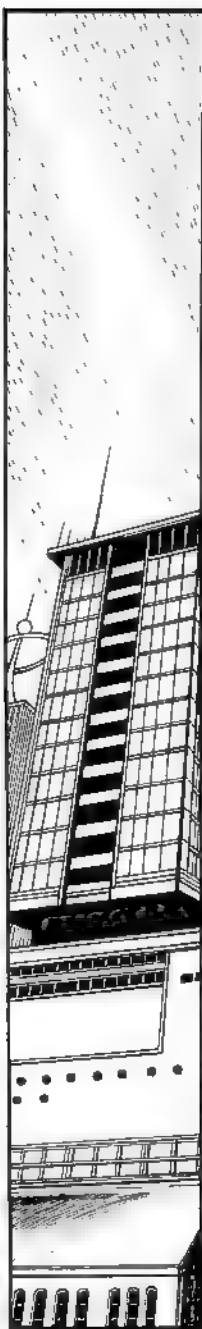
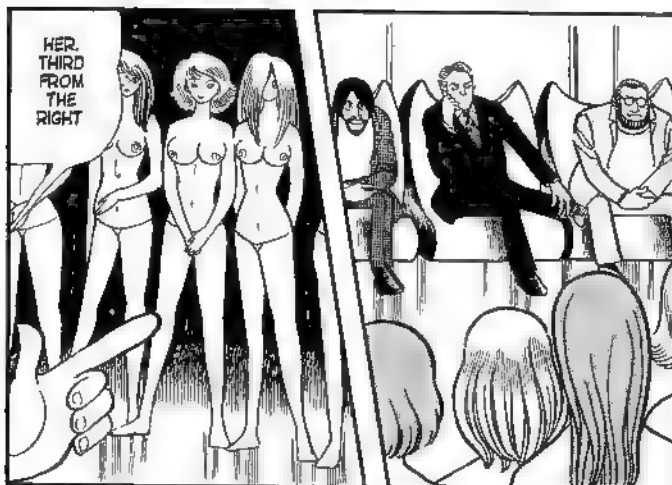
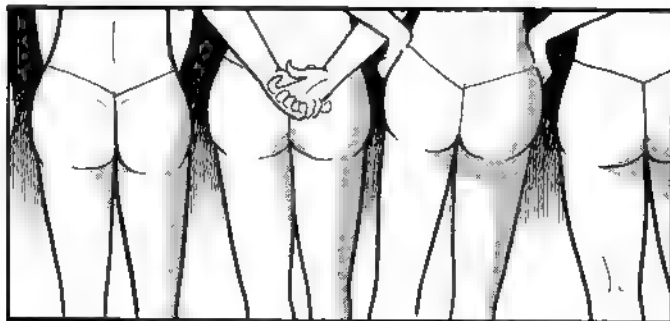


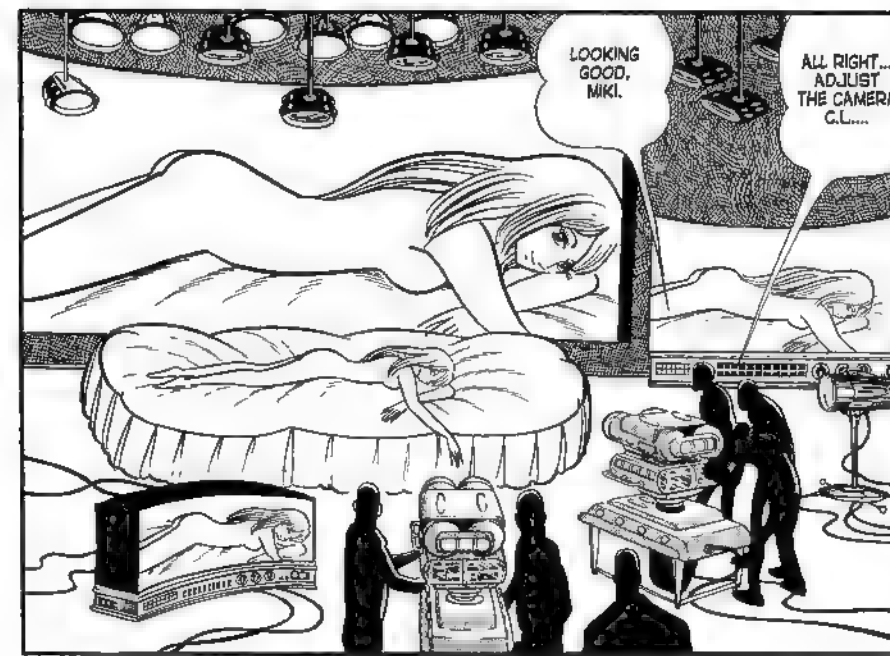
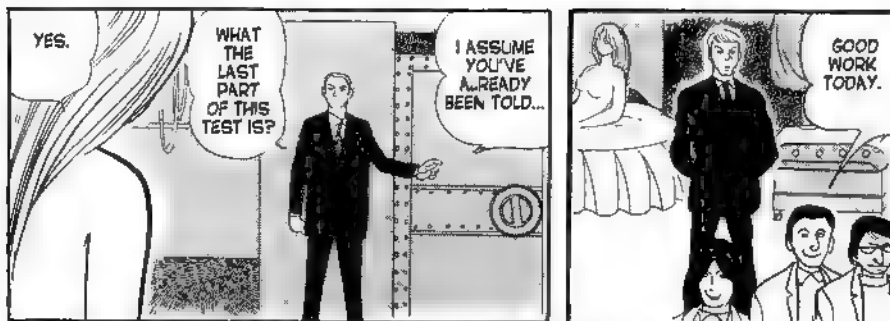


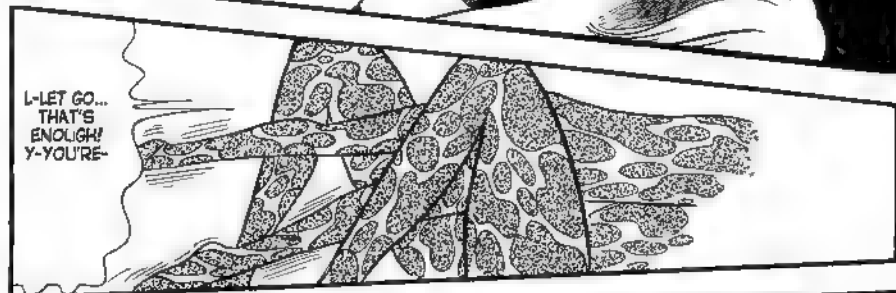
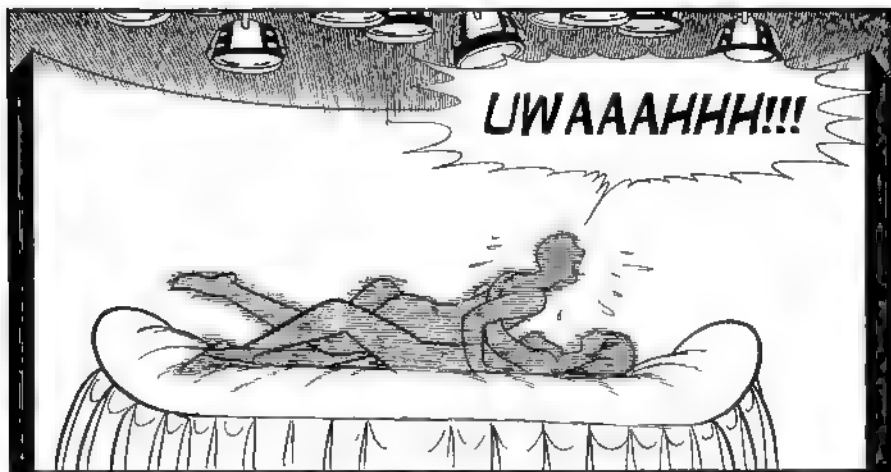
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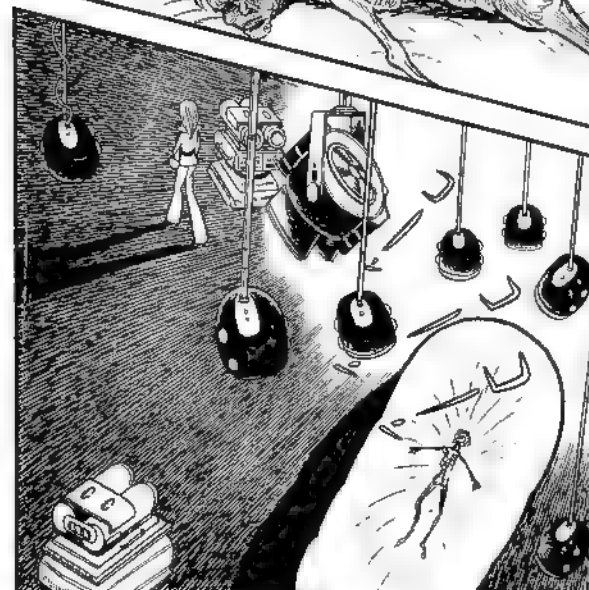
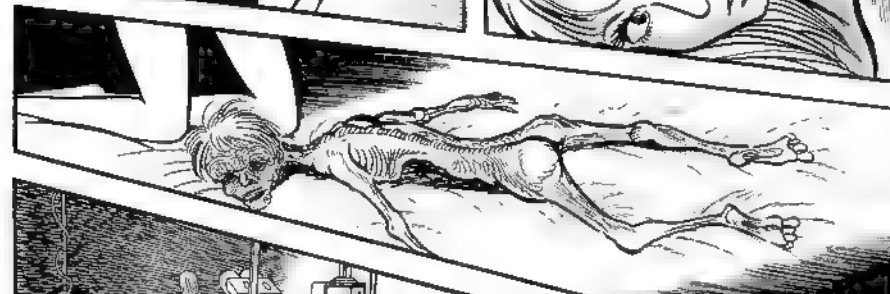
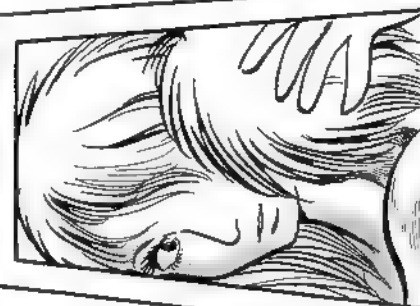
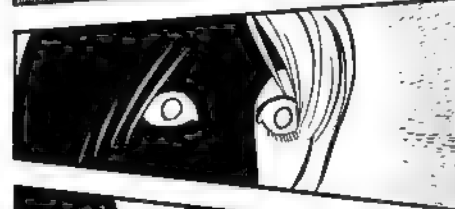


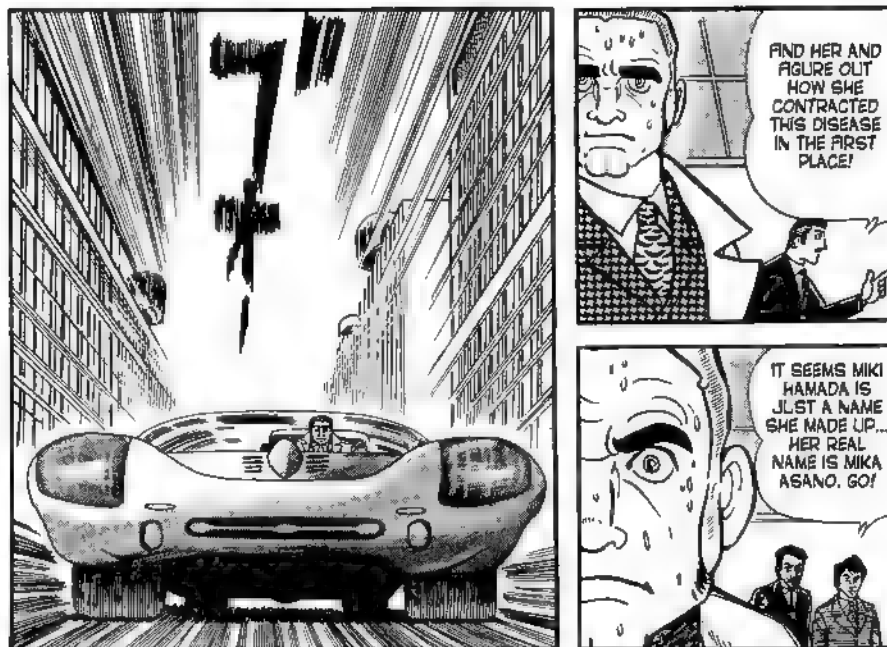
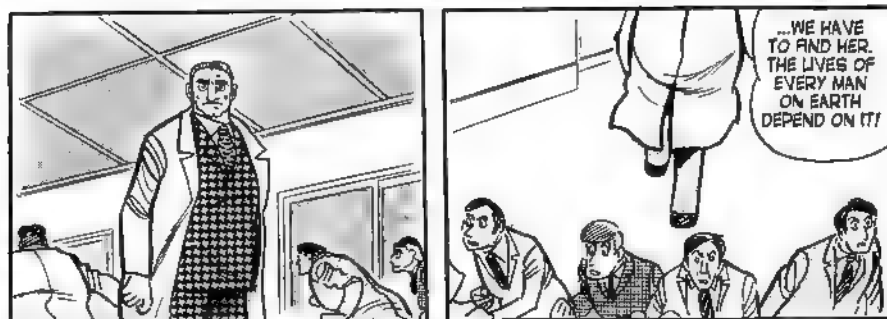
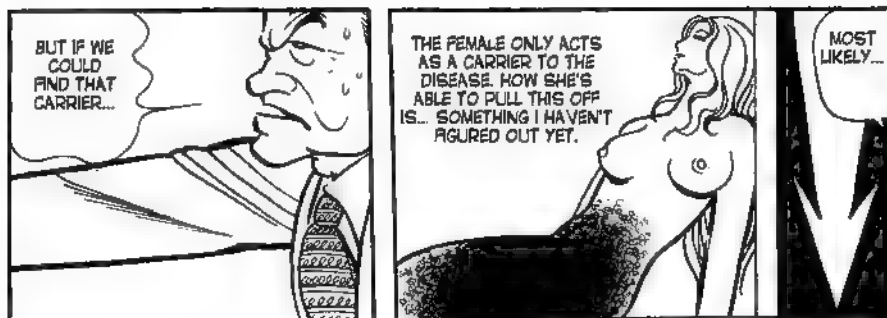


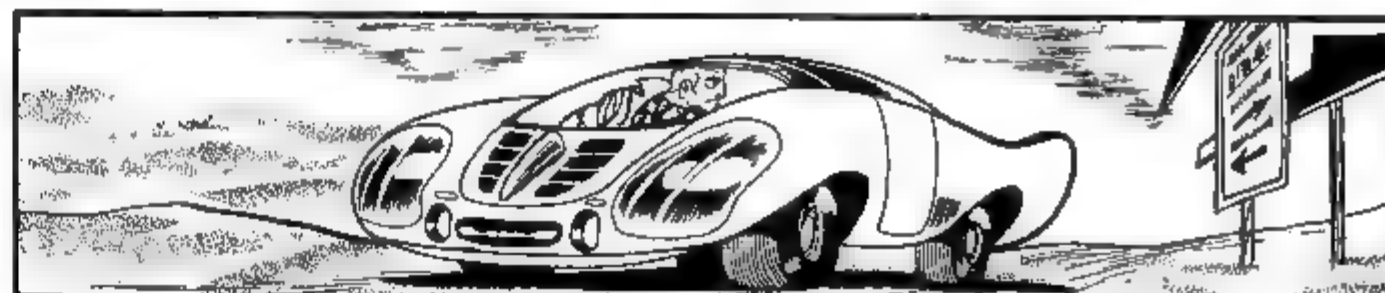
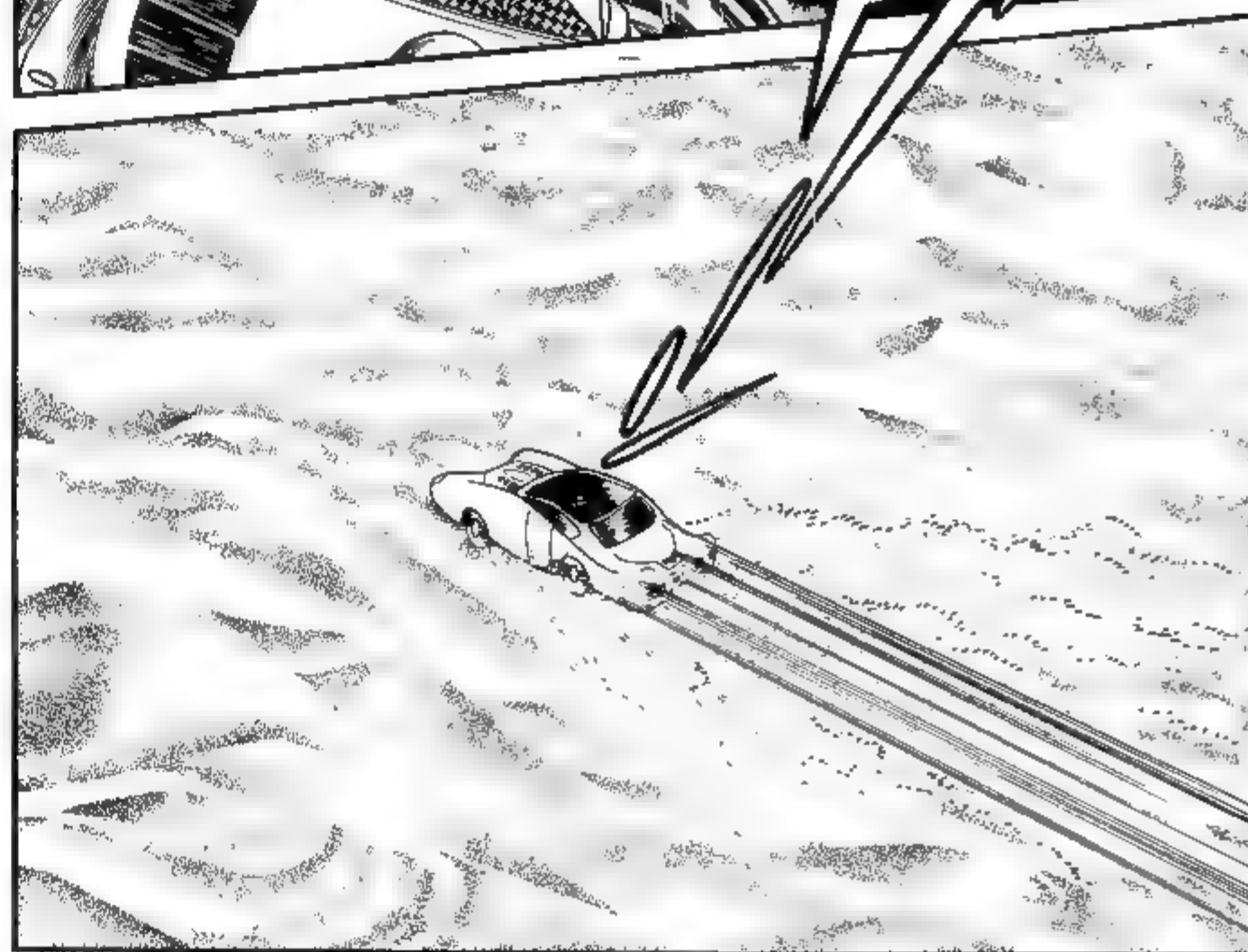
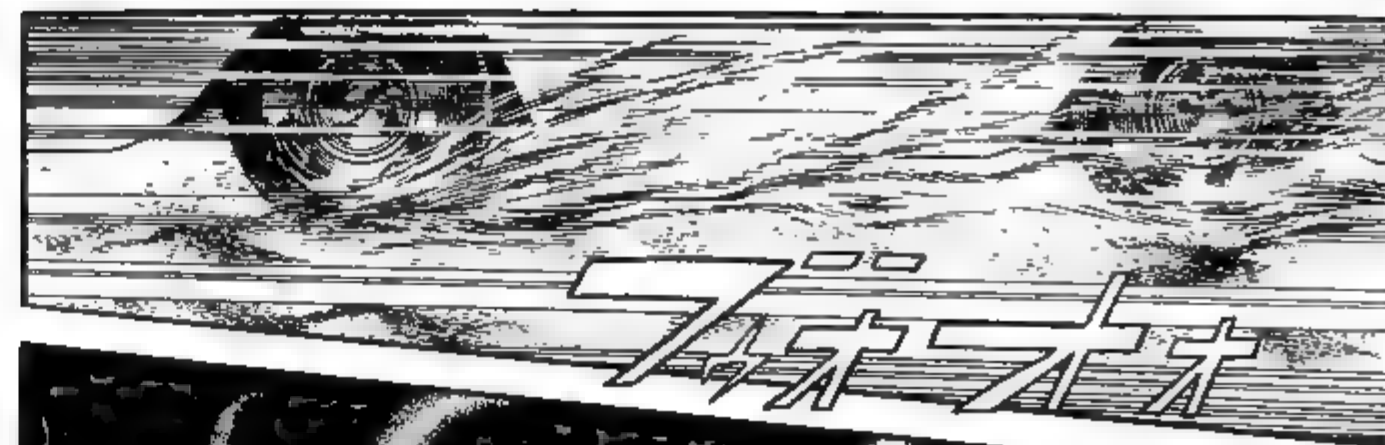
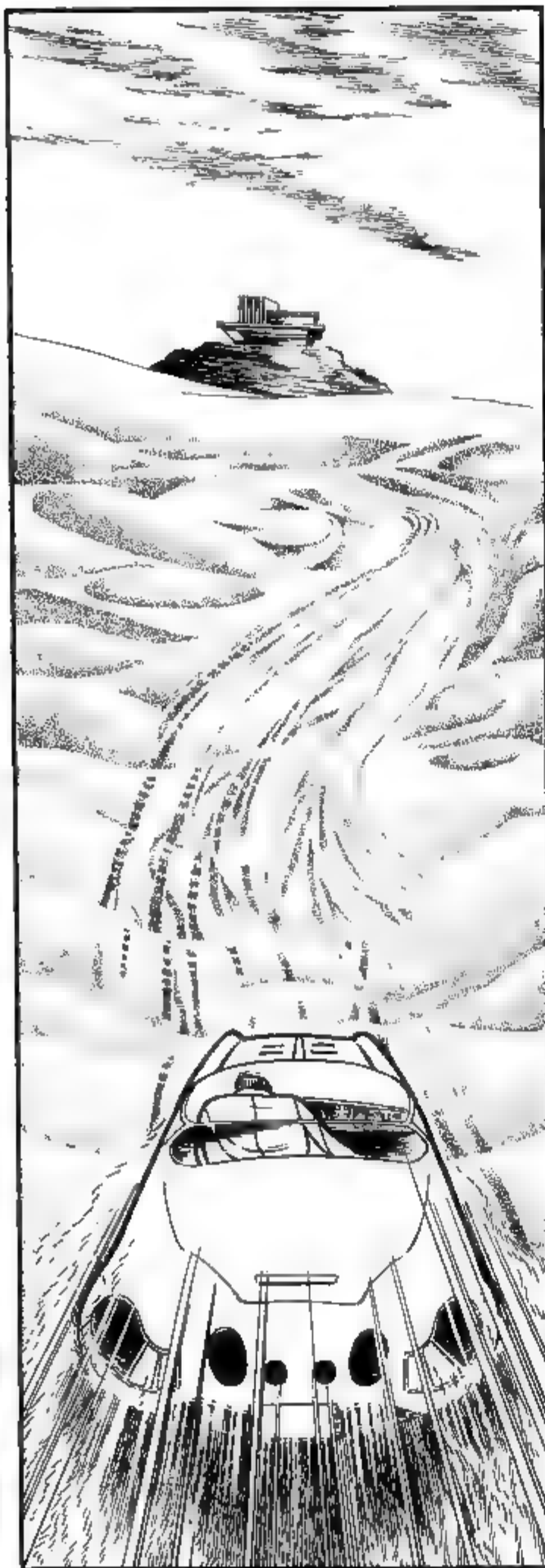
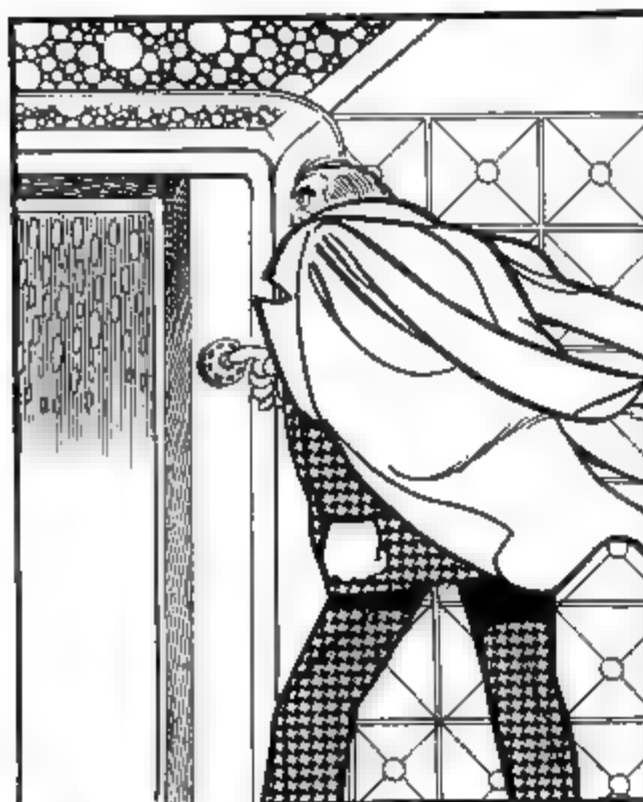


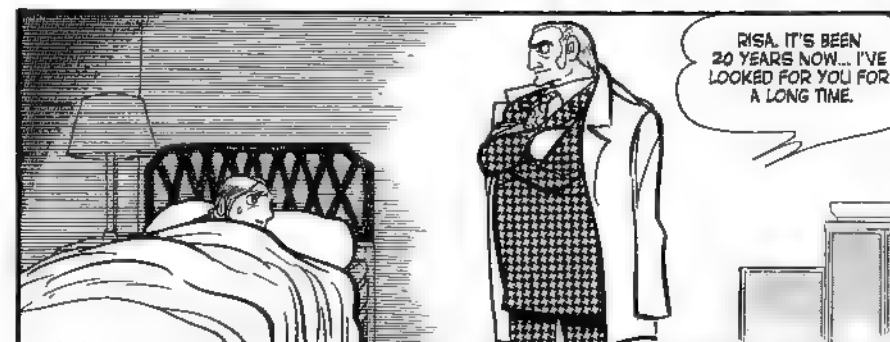
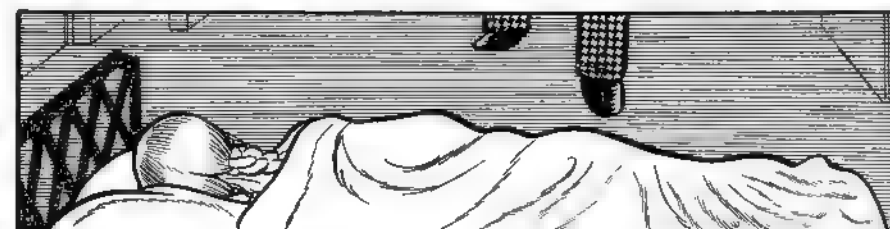
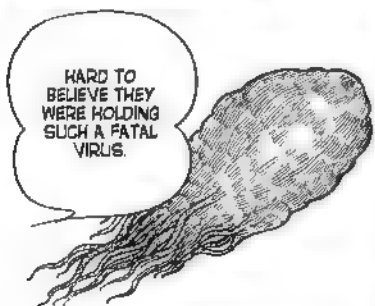
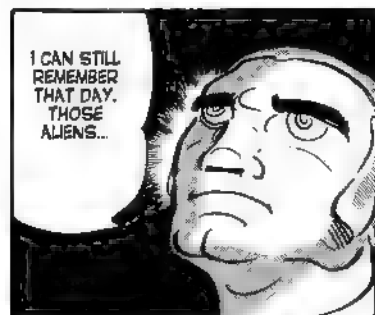


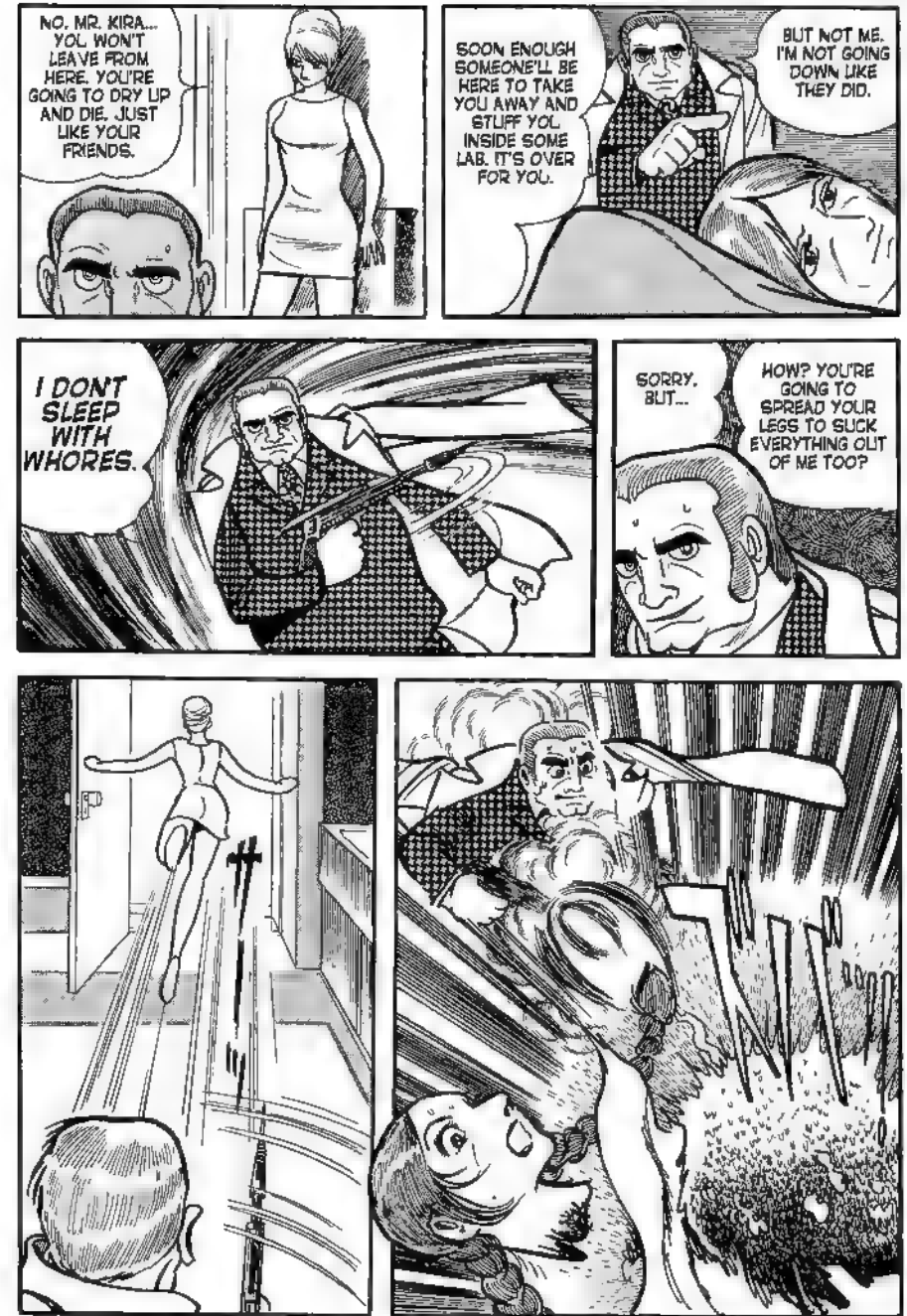
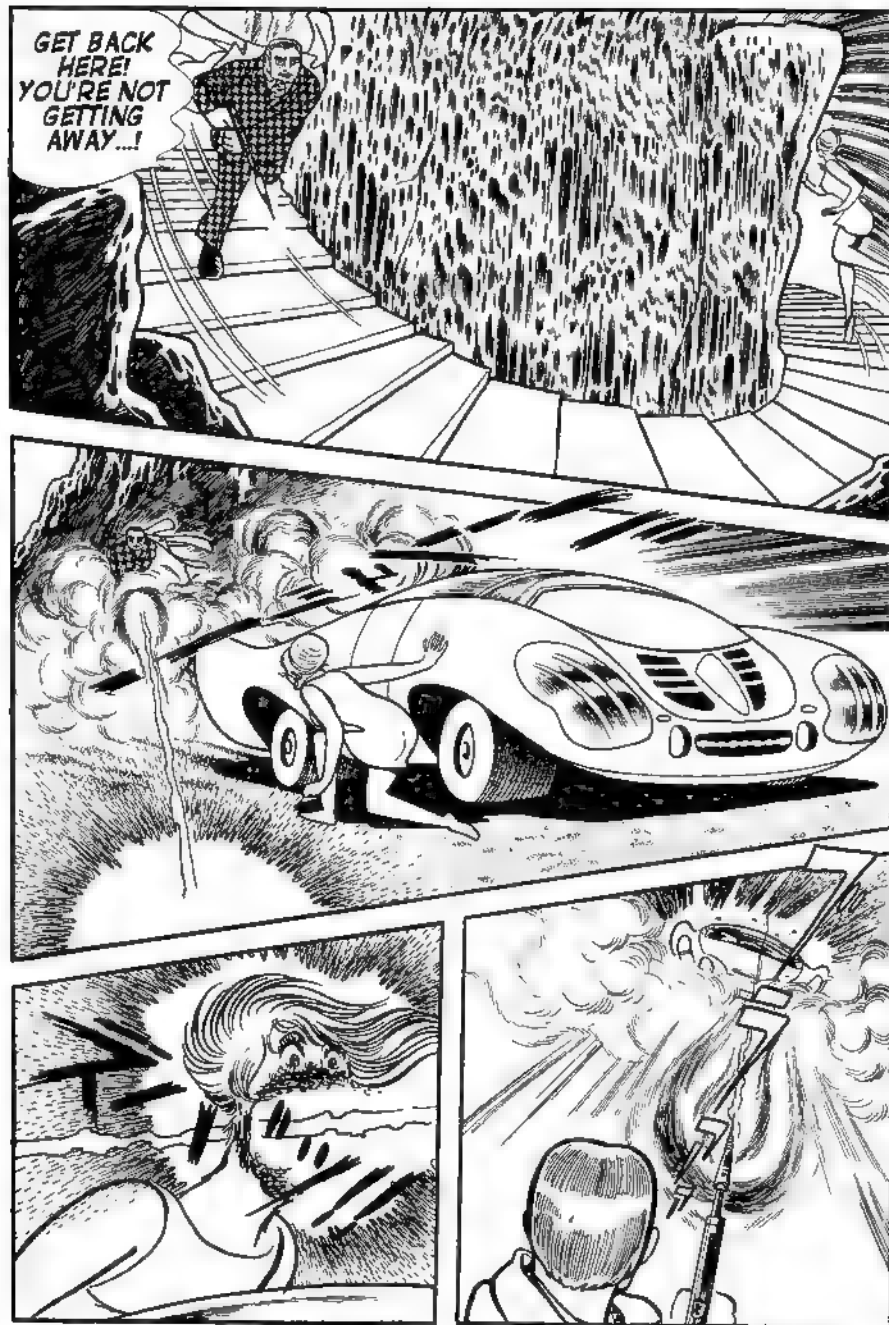


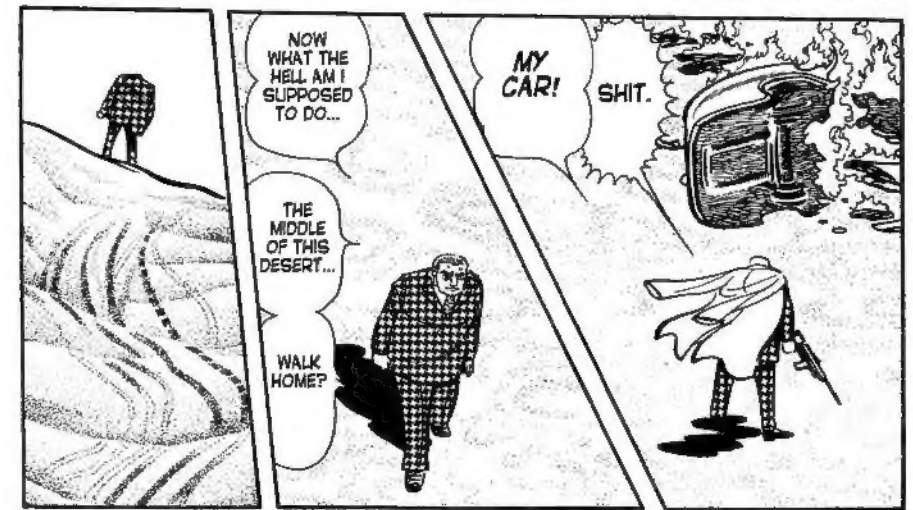
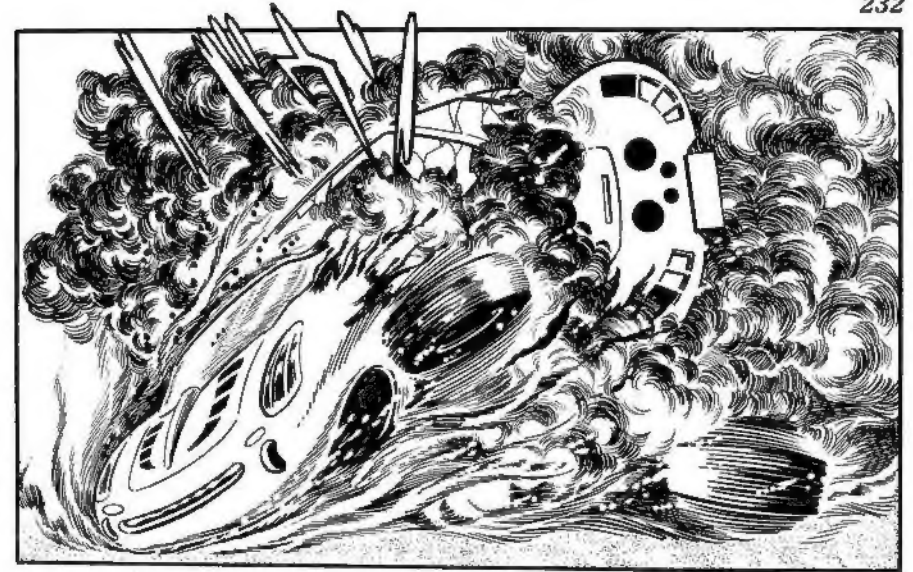
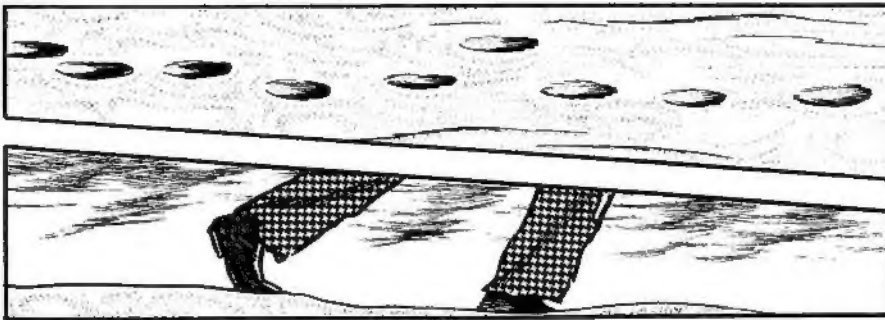


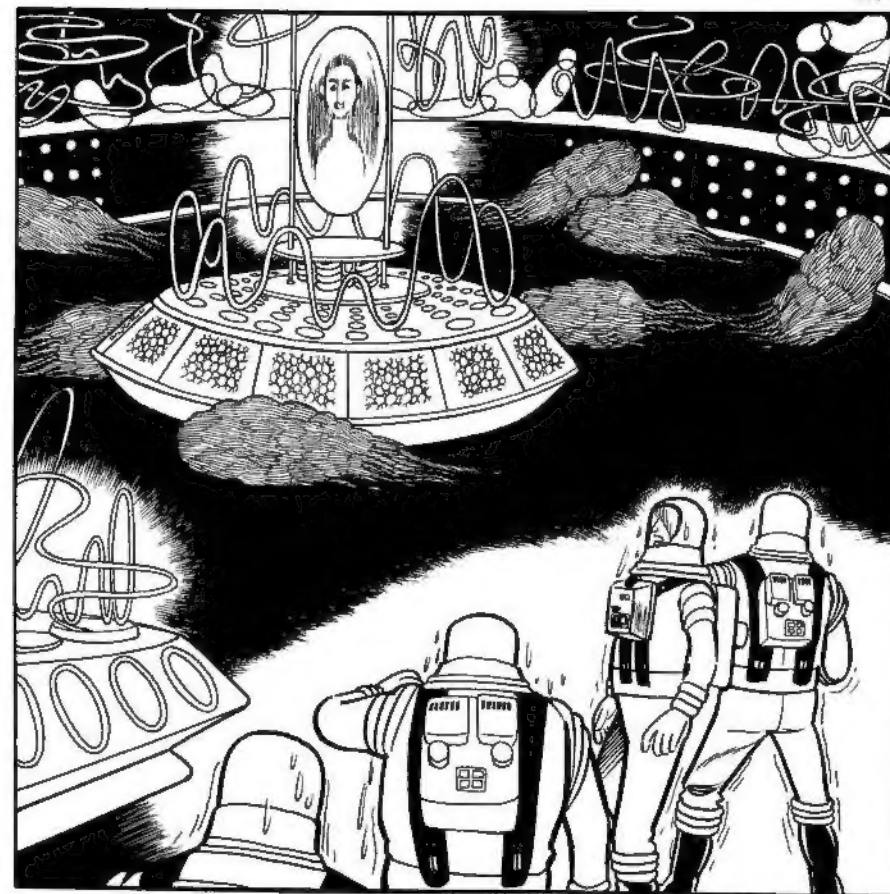
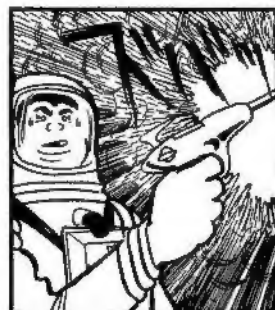
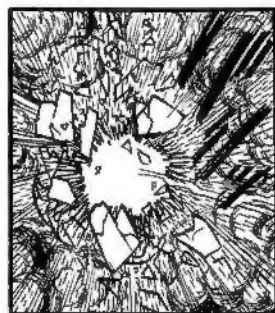
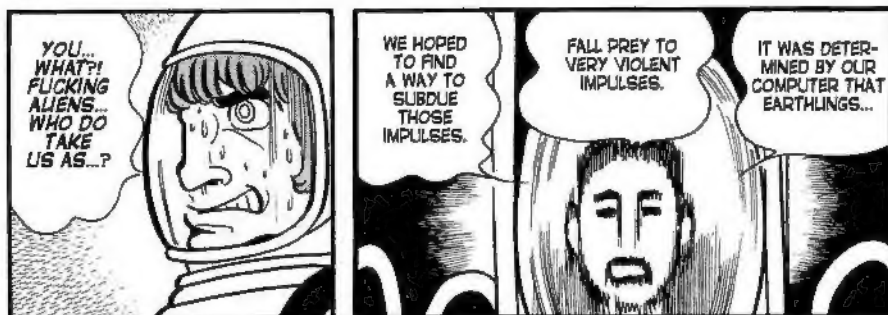












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